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Take a Closer Look At...

. . . THE PEOPLE OF ROCKFORD COLLEGE . . . Although the campus community is comprised of only 1,200 students, Rockford College does provide a variety of people. They range from athletes to actresses, and biologists to writers. Even with such diversity, the campus does seem to have some unity. The main bond for most students is to receive a good education for their future. With the time to study completed, socializing plays just as an important part in college life. One can't deny that the students at Rockford College know how to have a good time.

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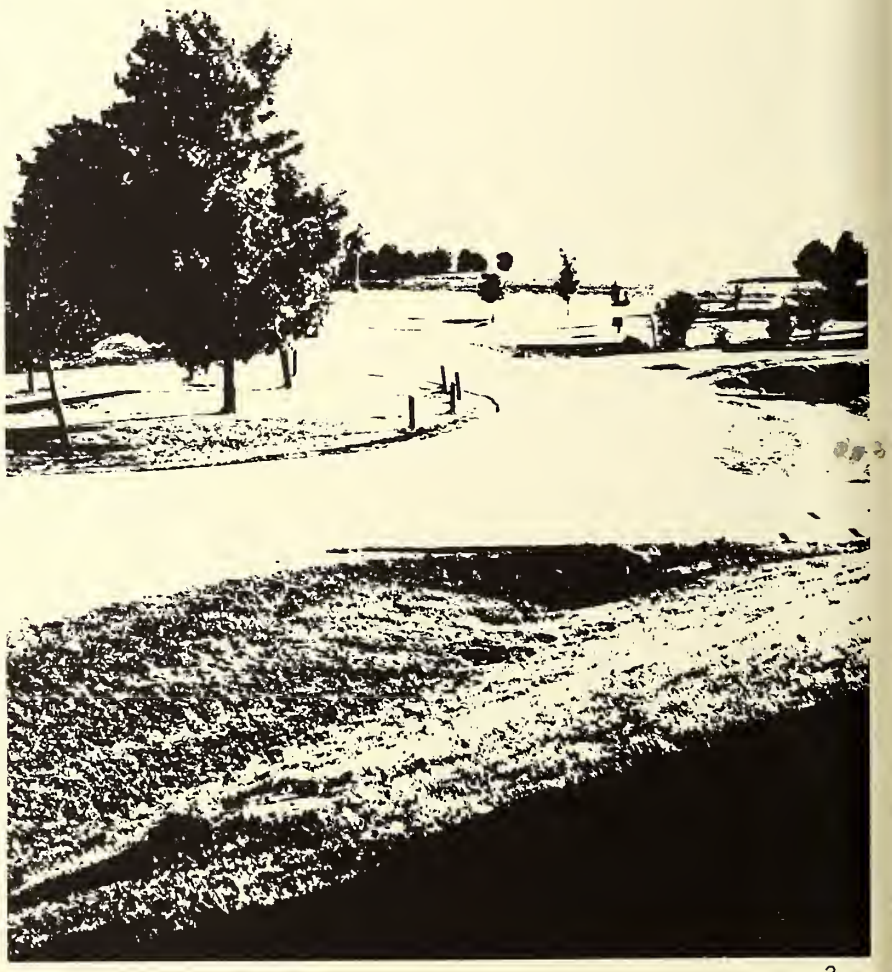
1. Seems Dann Grindemann enjoyed the time he spent in the French Club's Bastille at Club Fair. 2. A nice day for a walk around campus. 3. Senior Halloween Pumpkin Delivery Service: Kelly McCarthy, Linda Troutman, Bill Moreland, T.J. Tyler, Anne Yeager, Eli Melendez, Bill Marcille, Tom Ruud, and Steve Schneider. 4. Martha Clift does her disappearing trick for Jim Zimmerman at the Cumming's Luau Party. 5. "Don't let the bed bugs bite!" was echoed during the first Sophomore class sponsored Tuck-in-Tuesday. Tuckers shown here are: Laura Wasowicz, Chris Kowalke, John Roakes, Beth Stoddard, Dave Warden, Mike Morris, Mara Coughlan, and Anthony Schelich. 6. Freshmen Follies Rock-n-Roll Band: Joe Krug, Lisa Hoffmeister, Annette Anthony, and Chuck Cerniglia. 7. Jackie Crow and Scott Bunn show their spirit during the Homecoming game.



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1. This piece of pottery was created by senior Kathy Lyons. 2. Junior Deb Gaddis has done this lithograph of an old, haunted house. 3. A contemporary landscape by senior Sara Gittings. 4. Sophomore Jackie Robbins has done this chalk and pencil drawing.

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Artistic Expressions at R.C.

A Moment's Discovery

It's you and me again
up to our necks
it seems
in battle schemes

I don't understand
how you and I
once so in love
could change so drastically
I demand to know
what's going on—
this is insane
it's tragedy

I look at the world anew
and ask myself what
I ever saw
in you

I woke up one morning
to discover
there was a stranger in my bed
I wonder if I'll ever recover.

You're the strangest person
I ever knew
that is
if you consider that I knew you
which I didn't.

Cynthia Parks

Inspiration? # 1

Queen Annie's Tree
Sways in Time
to Mahalia blossoming
on the turntable.
While I wait
for an inspiration
I can squeeze
out between the
skinny blue lines.

Laura Wasowicz

Beauty

Beautiful things
trees the morning after a snowfall
woods in the fall
a sunset anytime
a rainbow after the storm
and the light in your eyes when we're together.

Jerilyn K. Halpin

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Homecoming '80 New Changes to An Old Tradition

Homecoming 1980 was a mixture of traditional and new events. Traditional events included a well-attended soccer game and Homecoming Dinner, the meal of the month. A spirit party was held in Cummings Complex's living center. Betsy Kaske and her band, which plays a combination of blues and rock music, performed a concert in Regents Hall. The concert replaced the usual Homecoming Dance.

1. Former Rockford area singer, Betsy Kaske, performs at the Saturday night concert. 2. The 1980 Homecoming Court: Row 1: Sarah French, senior rep.; Sherri Harbison, senior rep.; John Hegel, 1980 Homecoming King; Elizabeth Bettner, 1980 Homecoming Queen; Jayne Mariani, freshman rep.; Christine Kowalke, sophomore rep.; Teresa Frisbie, junior rep.; Donna Jalowik, 1979 Homecoming Queen; Donald Bronoski, 1979 Homecoming King. Row 2: Steve Espach, senior rep.; Rick Klotz, senior rep.; Chuck Cerniglia, freshmen rep.; Mike McNally, sophomore rep.; Greg Barr, junior rep. 3. Regent John Amato throws the soccer ball in during the second quarter. 4. 1980 Homecoming King and Queen Betsy Bettner and John Hegel. 5. The Freshmen Follies Talent Show brought Ivy Garfield to the stage to perform. 6. The cheerleaders and Regent Rowdies arouse pre-game spirit.

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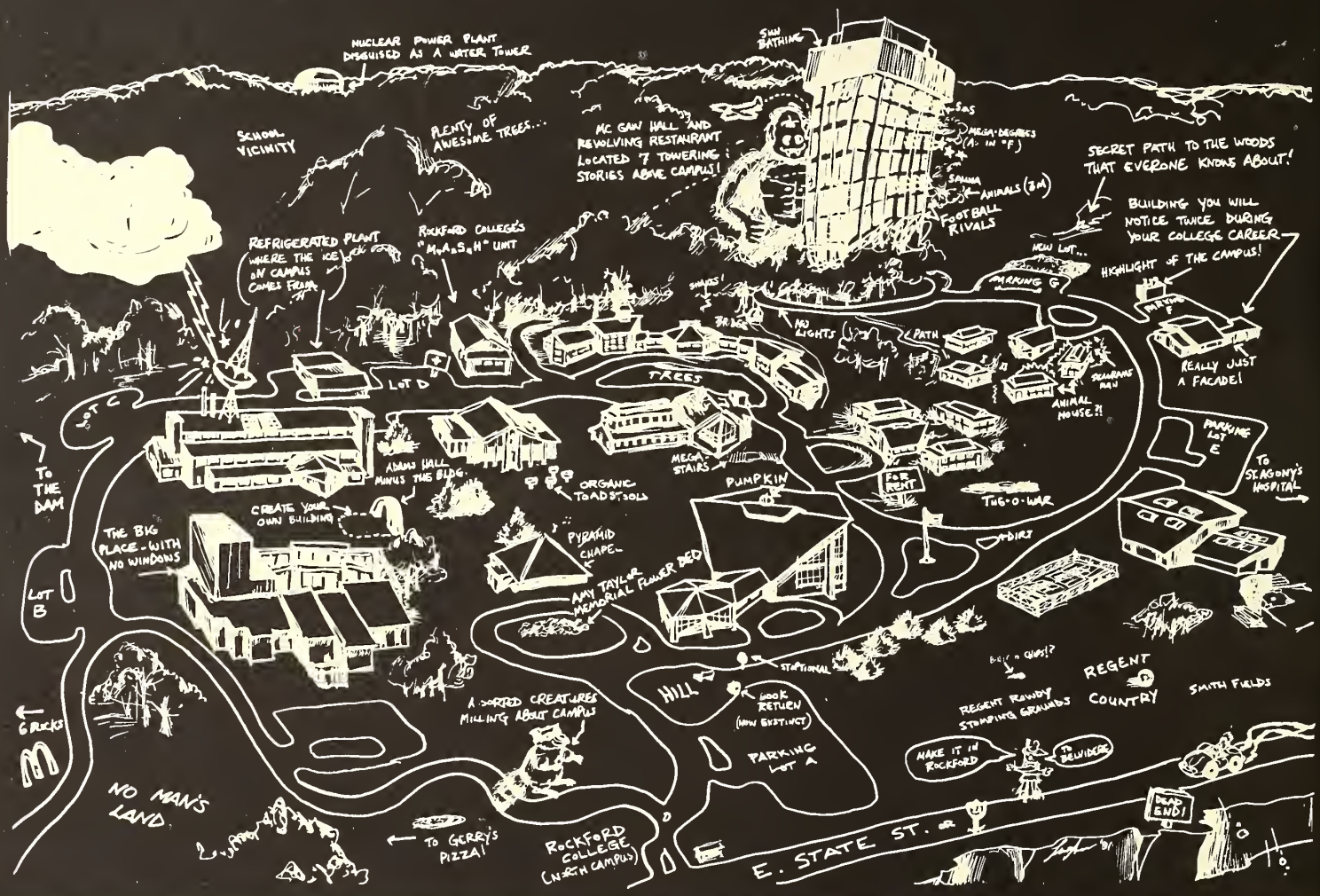

During the past school year, Rockford College's wide variety of activities once again kept students busy and entertained. One course of non-academic activities is the Social Board, which sponsors several campus-wide activities. Some of these include special movies, big events such as Homecoming Weekend, and the May Day dance.

Dorm students often organize outings to parks, apple orchards, and other well-known areas of interest off campus. Dorms also sponsor their own dances and parties, which they finance through bake sales, donut days, ice cream socials, and other fun-raisers. For the competitive dorm student, intramurals keep rivalry and fun a part of regular campus life.

The most popular activities must be Rockford College's numerous clubs and organizations. Students often originate their own clubs, so the spectrum of activities at Rockford College will certainly continue to grow in the coming years.

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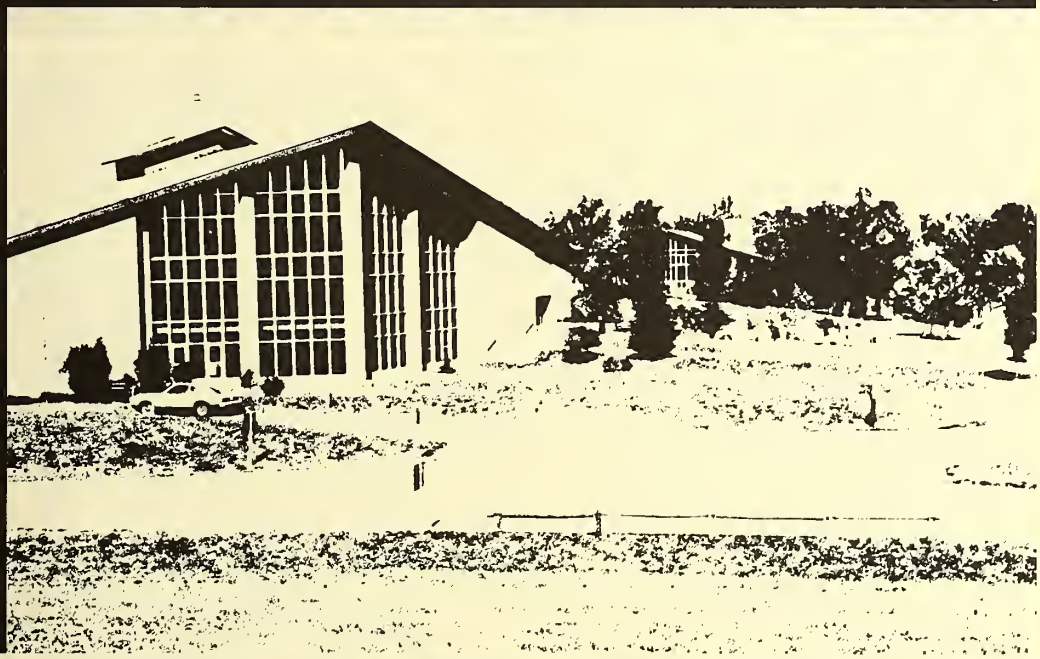

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1. Hank Brautigam goes country-western. 2. A nice, sunny day for Club Fair. 3. Burpee Center. 4. German Club wins Tour de France. Members: John Koch, Dr. James Schmitt, Jim Wilbur, and Steve Schneider. 5. Anne Yeager and Eli Melendez waltz.

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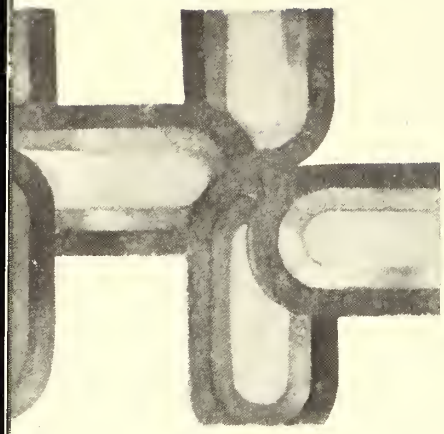

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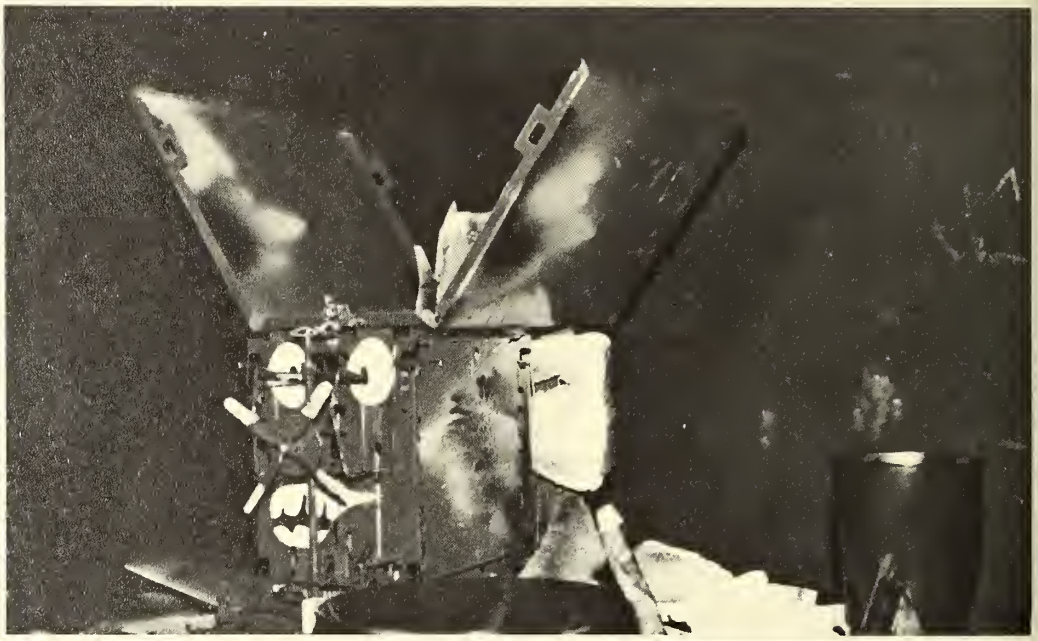

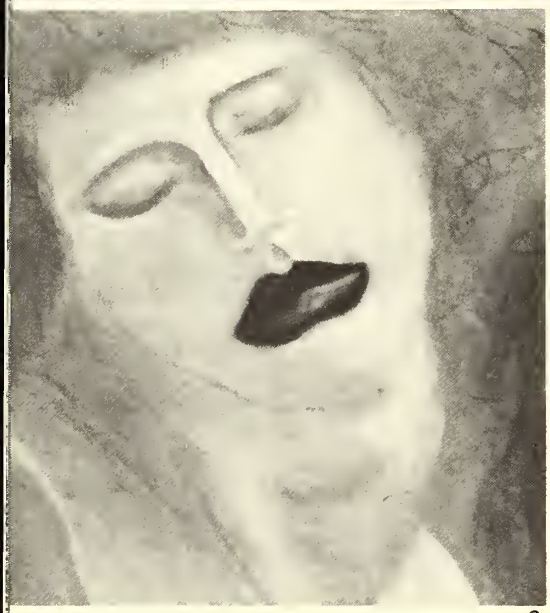

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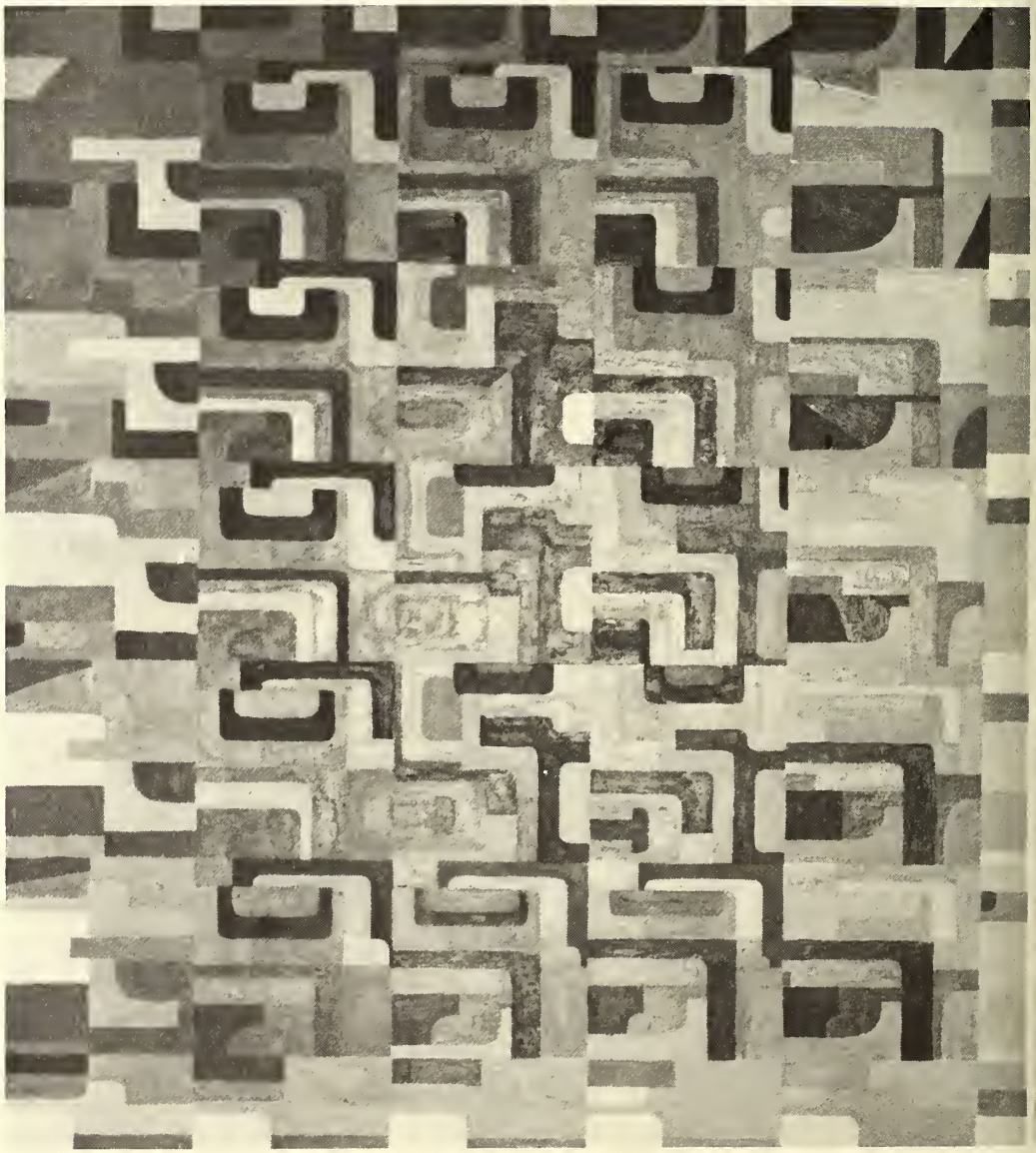

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Artists: 1. Julia Stotler, senior. 2. Donna Addison, freshman. 3. Terri Komar, senior. 4. Dave Michaelowski, junior. 5. Amy Taylor, senior. 6. Jane Gorecki, senior. 7. Barb Burkhardt, senior.

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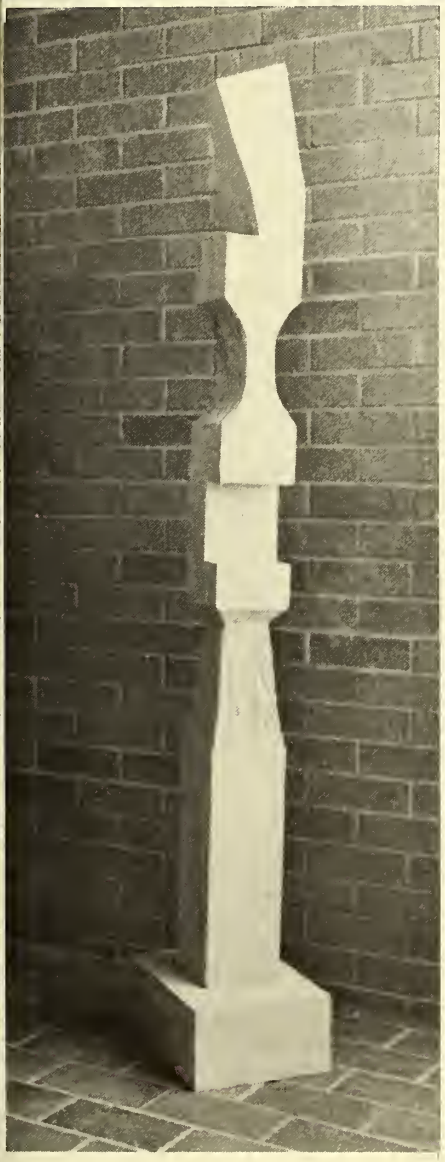

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More Student Art

UPON RECEIVING A WINCHESTER

A gift from Dad,
  No occasion
  Just an understanding
  of his little girl's passion

A barrel, 16 ½ inches long
  22 one hundredths of an inch wide
A stock, beautiful and full
  fine, fascinating durative wood
Sanded, stained to perfection
  Lever ation,
    Iron sights:
      Buckhorn and bedpost

Upon cocking
  A click or two so smooth
So gentle, nothing grating
  Machinery that moves so well

A celebration so immense.

Marianne Pelletier

Take A Closer Look At...

. . . The Involvement at Rockford College: Student involvement makes college life exciting. Activities outside the classroom can be as educating as those inside, and they can be just as rewarding. Rockford College has such a large range of activities, from campus jobs to clubs to communications, that anyone can find an organization in which their talents can be put to good use. Getting involved in school organizations can provide a student with a stronger sense of accomplishment than classroom achievement at times, because the student chooses to get involved in an activity, whereas classroom projects are required. Involvement in areas outside of the classroom helps to provide a student with a complete and fulfilling college experience.

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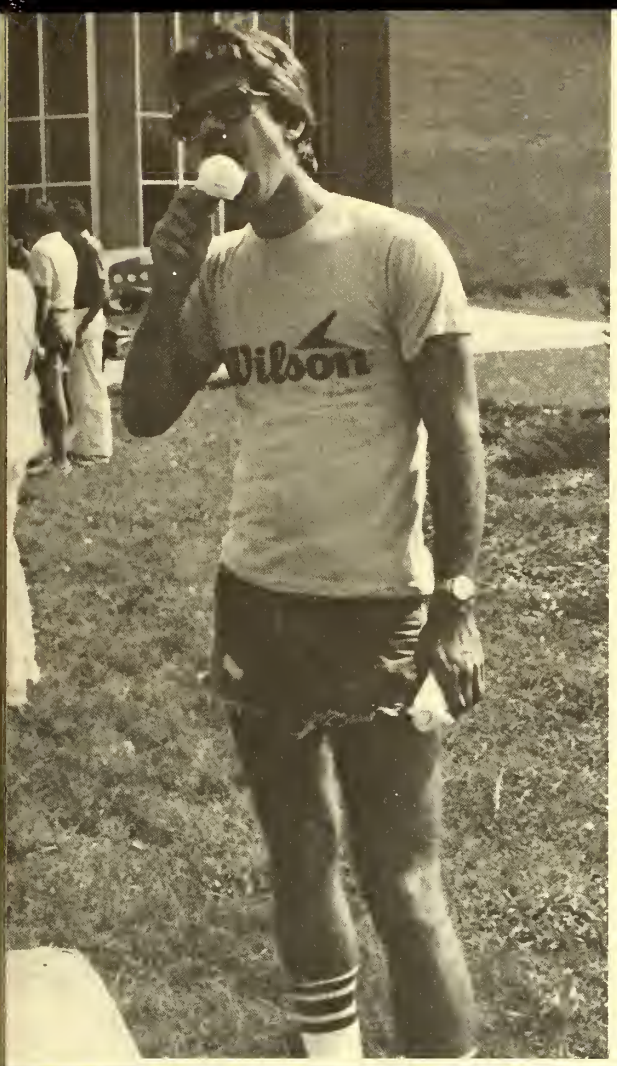

1. Tux and Formal: Chuck Cavazos and Linda Troutman are all dressed up for the annual Ball held in Regents Hall. 2. The cheerleaders and Regent Rowdies do their amazing acrobatics at the soccer game on Dads' Day. 3. Terri Kay tells Santa what she wants for Christmas. 4. Club Fair has ice cream and Jerry Sanborn to enjoy it. 5. A beautiful autumn day on campus. 6. Some members of the Sophomore Class: Row 1: Chris Kowalke, M'ellen Huckstep. Row 2: Kelly Bartholomew, Linda Davison, Cheryl Sipes, Carl Bartolomei, Kathy Best, Wally Hegel-in absentia, Jackie Crow, an unwanted freshman, and Laura Wasowicz. Row 3: Rick Rutter, Mike Morris, Mike McNally, Jonathon Roakes, Scott Bunn, Eric Vogel, Spiderman, and Mark Beakey.

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Take a Closer Look At...

Laura Jane Addams was born in Cedarville, Illinois, on September 6, 1860. Her father, John Addams, was the largest landholder in Stephenson County, a member of the Illinois state legislature, and a Quaker. He was the greatest influence on Jane Addams' life. Jane Addams entered the Rockford Seminary in 1877. She was an outstanding student and was graduated with honors in 1881. After graduation, Miss Addams traveled abroad and dreamed of helping the poor. Miss Addams and a former schoolmate, Ellen Gates Starr, refurbished and established Hull House in Chicago, a neighborhood center among the immigrant population with a number of programs from day care to college courses. In 1909, Jane Addams becaue the first woman president on the National Conference on Social Welfare. She led in the fight for women's suffrage, and served as president of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom from 1915 to 1929. In 1931, Miss Addams was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize. Jane Addams died of cancer in 1935 and was buried in Cedarville in the Addams family plot.

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1. Jane Addams (holding parasol) and classmates at Rockford College.
2. Hull House at the University of Illinois Chicago Circle Campus. 3. The main living room of Hull House. 4. Jane Addams in her 50's.
Artwork: The Addams homestead in Cedarville, Illinois.

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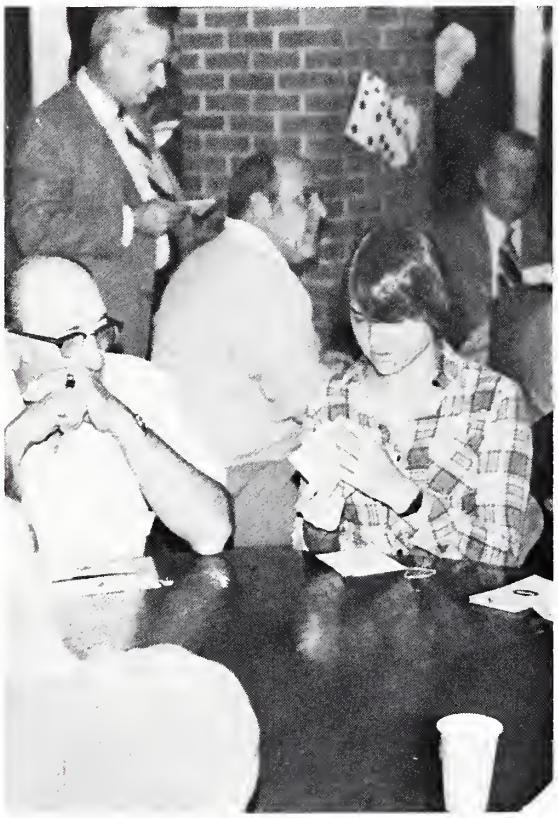
Student Life

Socializing with Dad



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1. Chris Herman and dad try their hands at poker. 2. Ted Fritz deals at the roulette wheel. 3. Leslie Robins, Beth Ruppert, and Val Jackson.

Dad's Day was filled with fun and traditional activities. Students and dads cheered the Regents during the afternoon soccer game, and then enjoyed a steak dinner in Burpee. Dads and students gambled the night away at Casino Night, which was held in the Snack Bar.

Holiday Spirits

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1. Linda Troutman, Kim Speers, and Linda Determan carve pumpkins in McGaw. 2. A wassail in Forrest Cool Lounge. 3. John Koch, Steve Espach, Mike Morris, and Laura Wasowicz decorate the Christmas Tree in Cummings Living Center. 4. The Unknown Goblin.

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At Rockford College, holidays are always festive. At Halloween, Jack-o-lanterns carved by the seniors decorate all the buildings on campus. Wassail parties are hosted by each class in Forrest Cool Lounge at Christmas, and the Freshmen Class decorates the campus at night. Dances are held for Halloween, Christmas, and Valentine's Day.

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"Dames At Sea" is a rousing musical which was presented in autumn at Rockford College in Maddox Theatre. The scene is set in the early thirties and takes place in a 42nd Street theatre and on a battleship. Cast members included: Karen Andersen, Michael Bleidel, Penna Broman, Marcy Bullock, Chuck Cavazos, Susie Dean, Valerie Jackson, Candace LeBun, Jim Martine, Lou Ann McKinney, Elizabeth Soland, and Pat Tinsley.

1. Pat Tinsley, Mike Bleidel, Karen Anderson, Jim Martine, Lou Ann McKinney, and Chuck Cavazos. 2. Susie Dean, Liza Soland, and Karen Anderson. 3. Mike Bleidel and Pat Tinsley.

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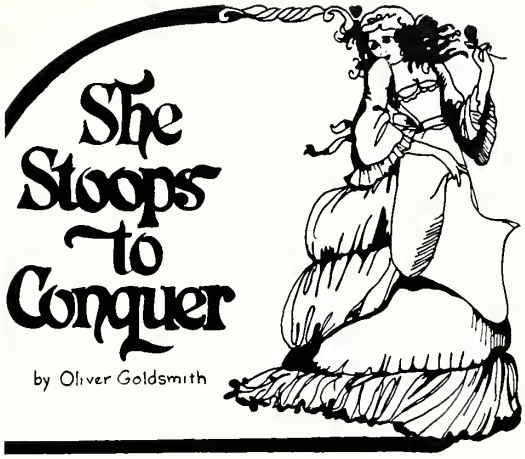

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"She Stoops To Conquer", an eighteenth century spoof on romantic comedy, was presented in March in Maddox Theatre. The play required much research into the styles and characteristics of the people of that time period. The cast members worked hard to perfect the mannerism of the various characters in order to make them seem real to the audience. Cast members included: Karen Andersen, Thomas Blum, Chuck Cavazos, Arlyn Eisenbrandt, Mitchell Evans, Valerie Jackson, Joe Kvidera, Matt Lenz, Darren McCroom, Lou Ann McKinney, Greg Nielson, and David Paulsen.

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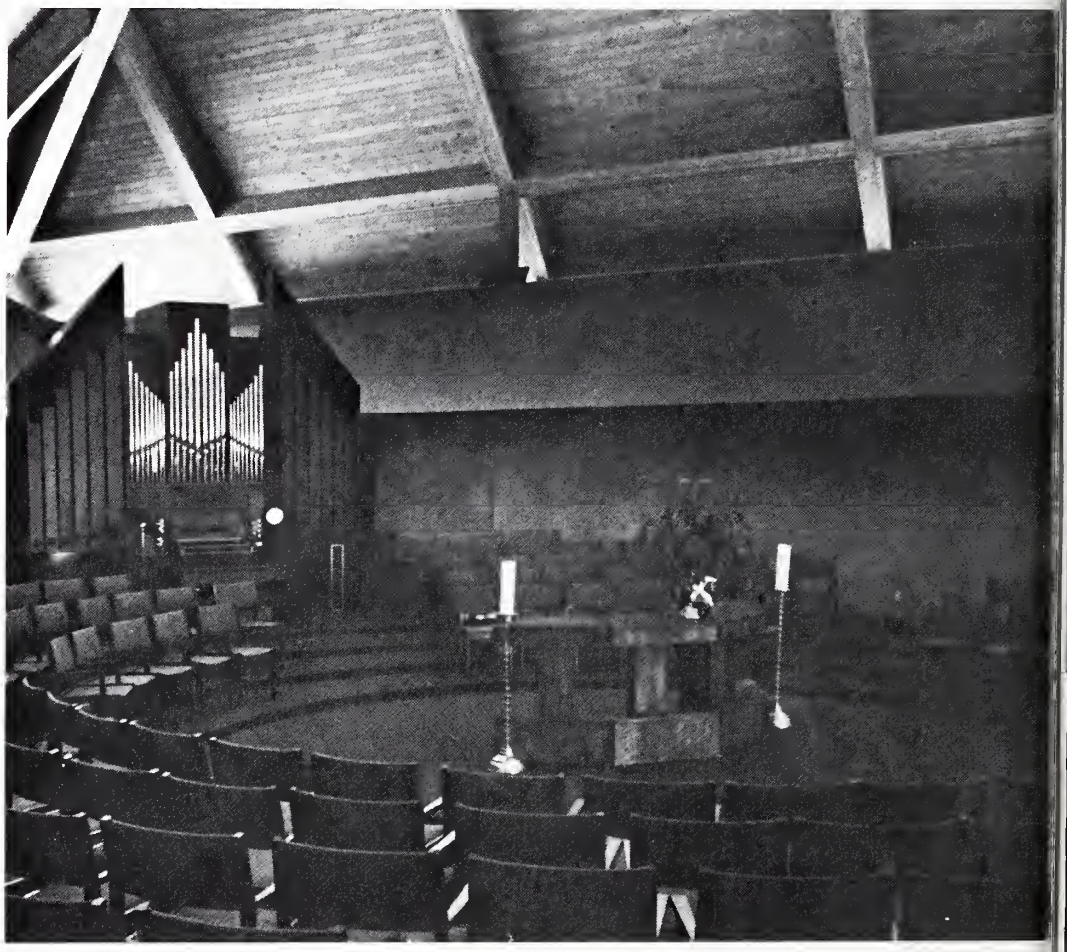
1. Arlyn Eisenbrandt, Darren McCroom, Chuck Cavazos, Val Jackson, and Paul Westman. 2. Lou Ann McKinney and Beth Ruppert. 3. Leslie Robins and Tom Blum. 4. Joe Kvidera, Beth Ruppert, Greg Nielson, Chuck Cavazos, Lou Ann McKinney, Leslie Robins, and Tom Blum.

In May, "Everyman" was presented in Fisher Memorial Chapel. The drama is a 15th century morality play about a man's search for redemption. "Everyman" was the last play of the 1980-81 Performing Arts Series. Cast members included: Carole Baisch, Ralph Cohen, Linda Davison, Lynda Delaforgue, Lori Gosstrom, Joe Kvidera, Stephen Mintz, and Pat Tinsley.



First January Intensive Term

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1981 was the first year for the January Intensive Term. Students had the option of taking classes for credit in lieu of the old pass-fail system. The courses offered had a more academic orientation, the old "theme" system having been abondoned. Students had the opportunity to take part in many social activities. Among these were ice skating, movies, tubing at Aldeen Park, ice cream socials, and basketball games. The Intensive Term provided a good base for the development of future Intensive Terms.

1. A snowy atmosphere for Intensive Term '81. 2. The violin-cello class instructed by Dr. Whipple. Class members: Chuck Freutel and Brian Johnson. 3. The cast members of "Glitz."

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Three-Penny Shows

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1. "Lady House Blues." 2. "Glitz." 3. "Indian Wants the Bronx": Arlyn Eisenbrandt and Darren McCroom. 4. "The Telephone": A mini-musical for Vanessa Yates' senior seminar. 5. A one man show featuring Greg Nielson. 6. Pat Tinsley and Laura Wasowicz.

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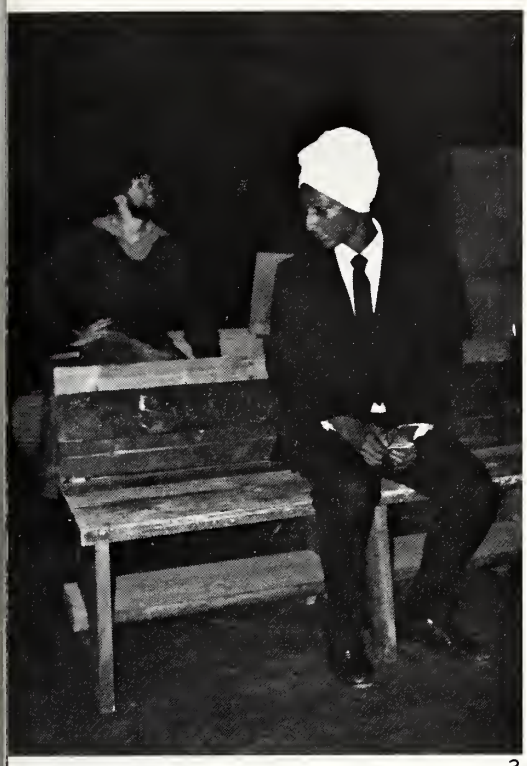

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The Three-Penny Theatre Series consists of a number of productions which are produced, directed, and performed mostly by students. The productions often fulfill or partially fulfill the requirements for the senior seminar in the Theatre Arts department. Some of the productions in the 1980-81 season included "Lady House Blues," "The Mourning Son," "Glitz," "Indian Wants the Bronx," and "The Telephone." Admission is three cents for all shows.

A Weekend With Mom

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The traditional Mom's Day was held the first weekend in March. Mothers were greeted by students in Lower Burpee Lobby on Saturday morning and presented with corsages. After lunch, a reception was held in the formal lounge in McGaw, where mothers had the chance to meet faculty. Moms and their sons and daughters then ate a buffet supper in Regents Hall. The Theatre Arts Department presented "She Stoops to Conquer" in Maddox Theatre, after which the moms watched a student talent show in the Snack Bar.

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1. The afternoon reception in McGaw Hall. 2. Student entertainment featuring Joe Kvidera and Karen Andersen. 3. Saturday night's performance of "She Stoops to Conquer." Shown are: Leslie Robins and Joe Kvidera.

Roll Out the Keggers

Every year near the end of April, former and present students come together to bathe in the sun and have a good time. April Badness 1981 was no exception. During the day, large quantities of food and beer were consumed, and a band performed. Students played games and participated in the Miller Lite Tug-o-War. The day was topped off by a performance by Big Twist and the Mellow Fellows, a rousing end to a terrific day.

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1. "Miller Time!" 2. The active participants in the tug-of-war. 3. The weekend's main attraction. 4. The winning tug-of-war team: Front Row: Cheryl Sipes, Heather Paulsen, Joan Mosher, M'ellen Huckstep, and Kathy Best. Back Row: Jeff Mosher, Frank Horvat, and two guests.

Spring Is in The Air

1. May Day Court 1981: Front Row: Elizabeth Bettner, queen, and Chris Kazenecki, king, missing, Row 2: Vivian Veach Hickey and Denise Berker. Row 3: Linda Troutman, senior rep.; Sara Gittings, senior rep.; Cindy Lopez, junior rep., Deborah Bogan, sophomore rep.; and Susan Winterbauer, freshman rep. Back Row: Don Kuhnen, senior rep.; John Hegel, senior rep.; Jim Blohm, junior rep.; Dave Warden, sophomore rep.; and Bruce Ludeke, freshman rep. 2. The May Pole Dance performed by Rockford's West High School on Burpee Commons. 3. The May Day Dance.

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Two special events contributed to May Day 1981. A picnic was held on commons in the afternoon. During the evening the traditional May Day Dance took place at the Rockford Women's Club in downtown Rockford.

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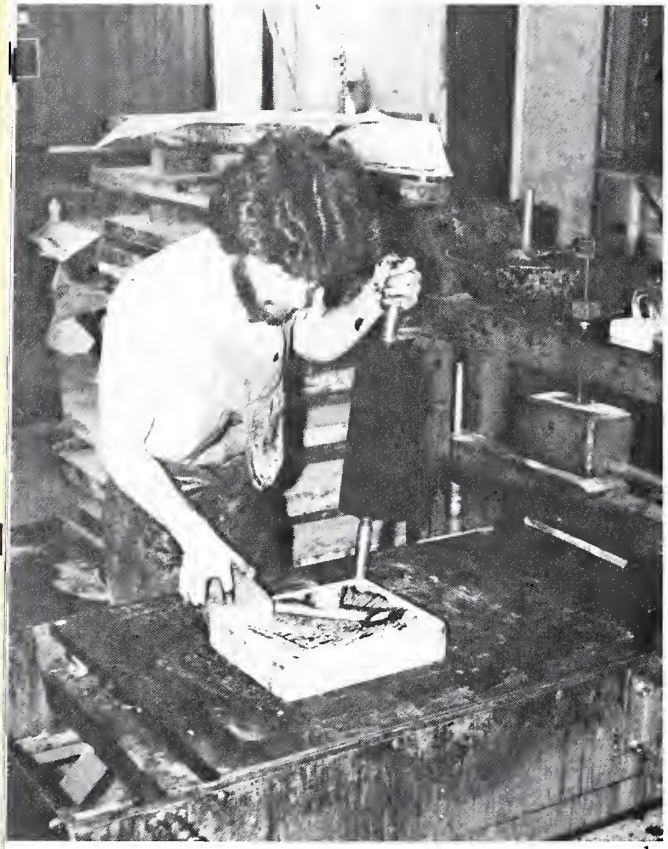

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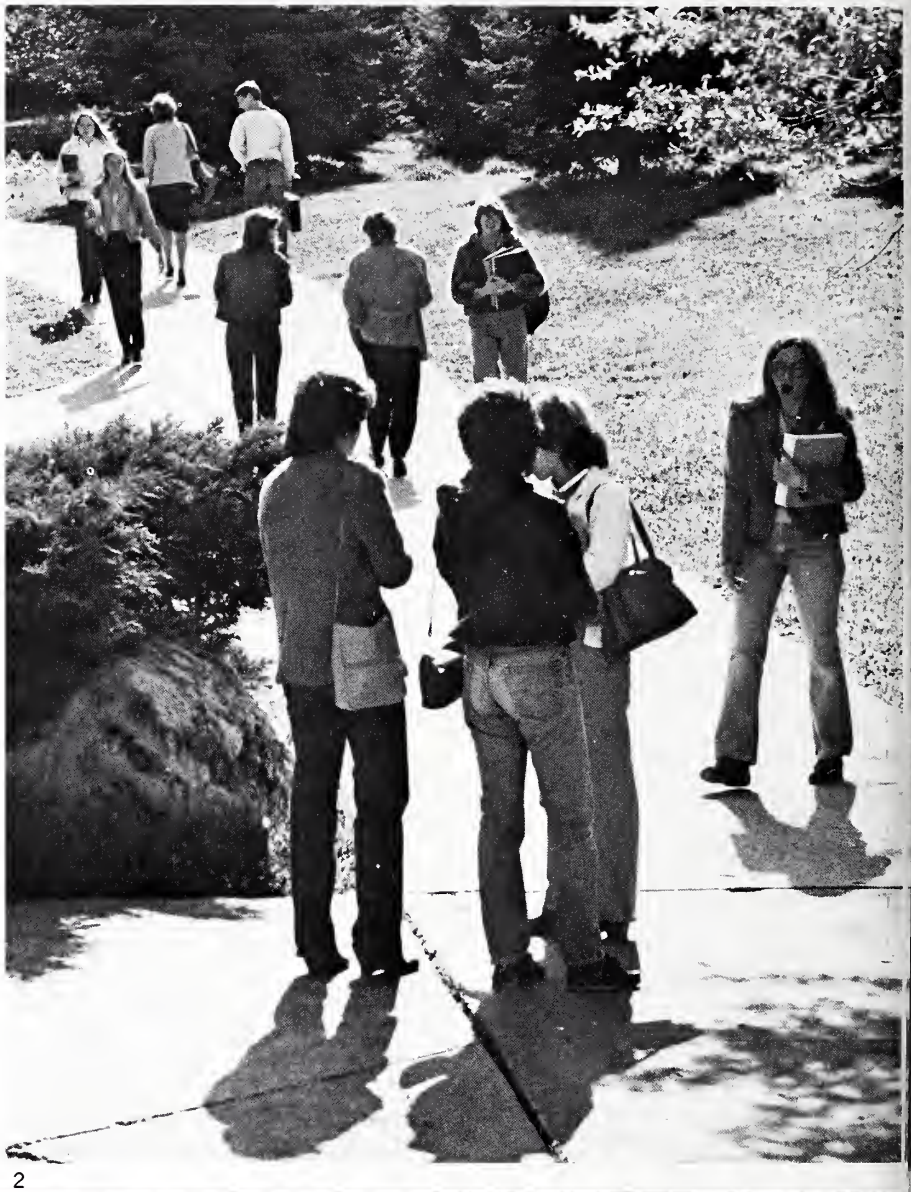

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1. Bill Marcille works on his lithograph design. 2. Students stop to chat on a clear spring day. 3. Lisa Graber and Susie Dean pulling an "all nighter." 4. Miss Ware and Dr. Slavens make their first visit to the French Club's Bastille at Club Fair. 5. Laura Lansing studying for her class in Modern Ethics.

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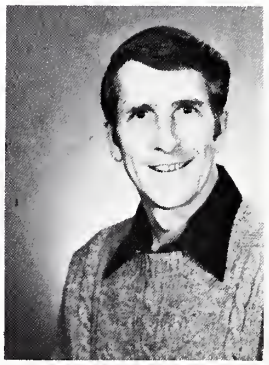

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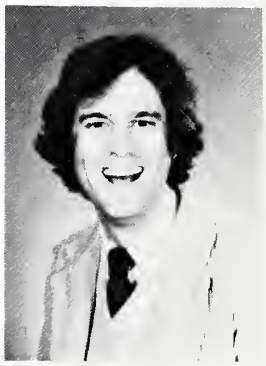

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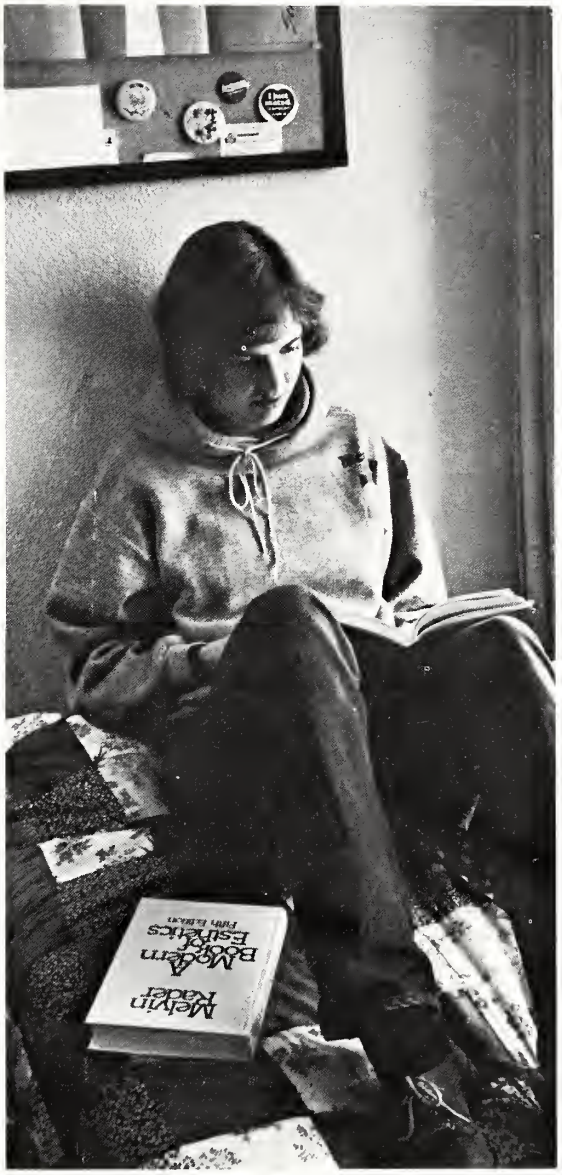

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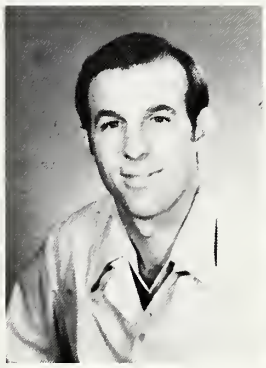

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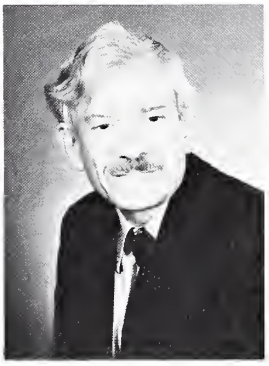

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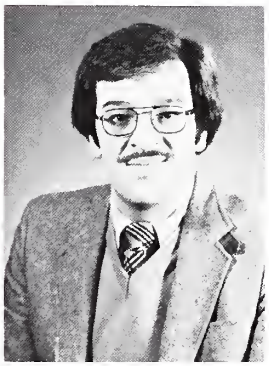

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1. T.J. Tyler on her way to Scarborough Hall. 2. The usual condition of the painting studio. 3. Dr. Trafton, winner of the individual under 10-speed race in the Tour de France. 4. Dr. Whipple playing his imported Polish cello. 5. John Comiskey studies in the Snack Bar.

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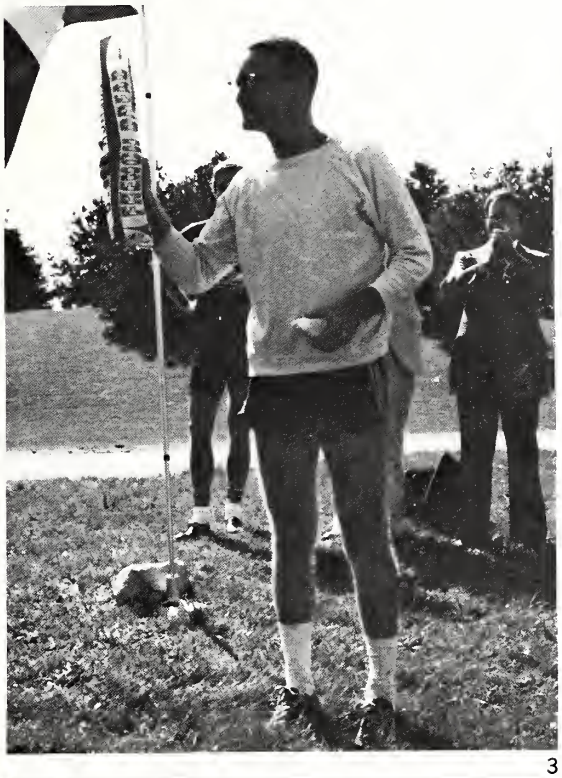

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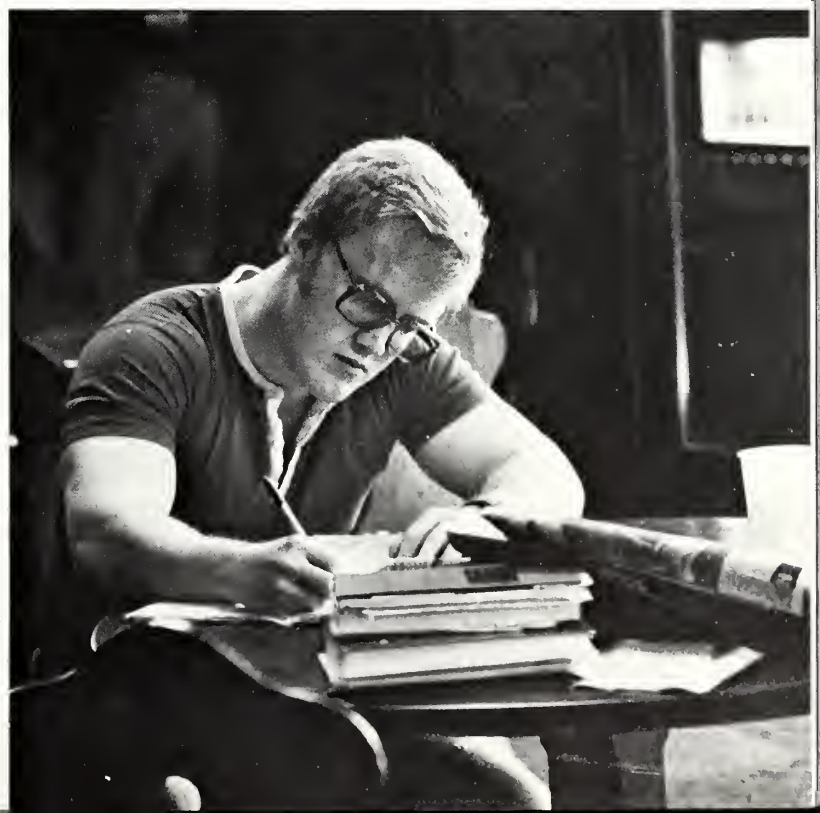

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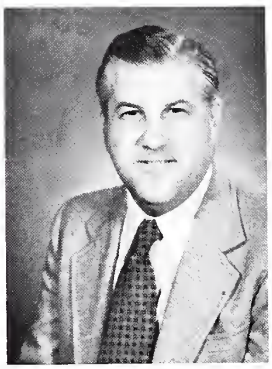

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1. Classmates listen intently during their advanced mathematics lecture. 2. Cindy Davis practices the piano in Fisher Chapel. 3. John Terranova studies in the library. 4. The Dance for Enjoyment class practices square dancing. 5. Protest sculpture for instructor Pete Stone's sake.

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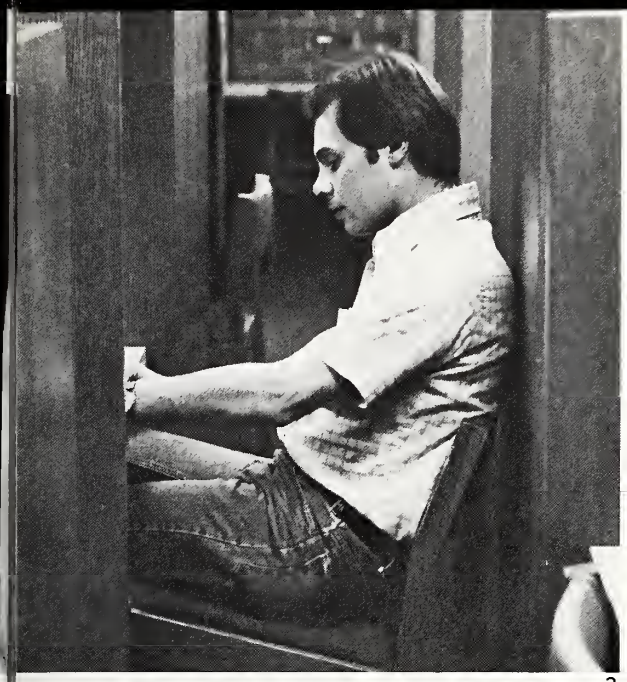

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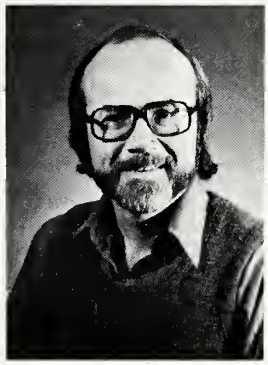

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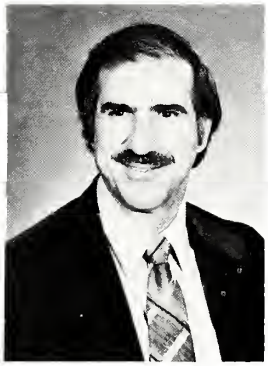

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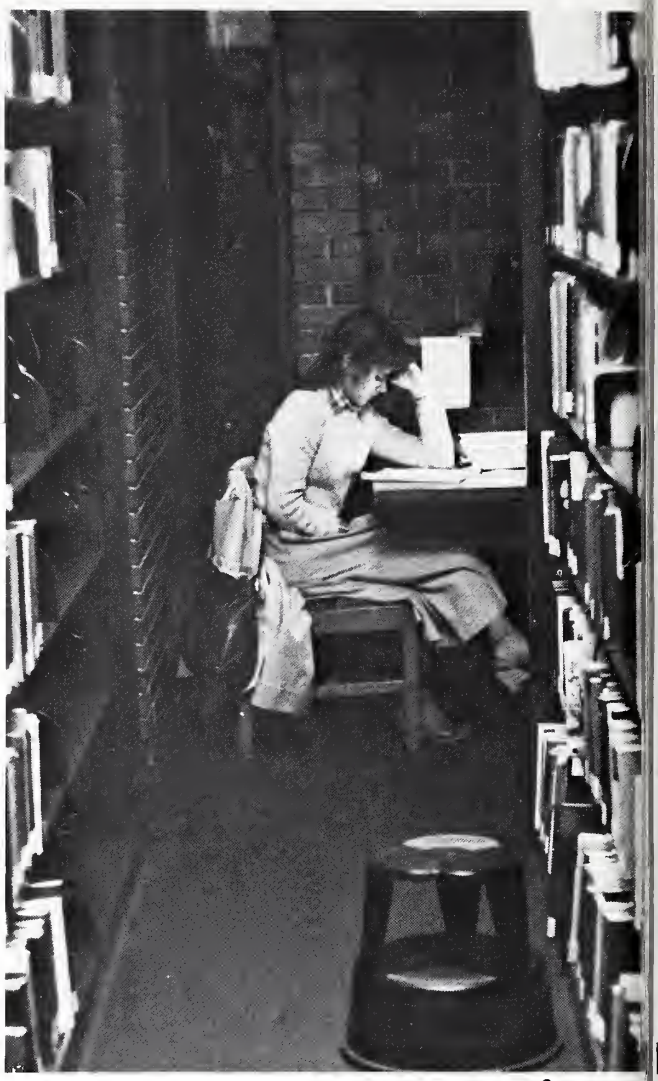

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1. Junior Terry Kay contemplates the mathematics lecture. 2. Kelly Bartholomew studies at the individual carrel in the library. 3. Mrs. Josephine Feldman in her costume from the "Glitz" production during Intensive Term—Boop-boop-de-doo! 4. Mr. Dan Veaner and Leslie Robins work in the theatre's scene shop making props for the next show. 5. Two students discuss their computer program lesson.

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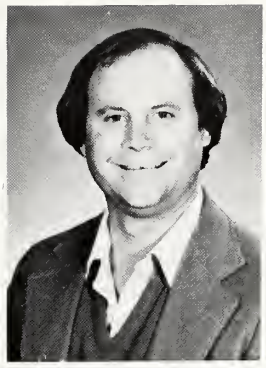

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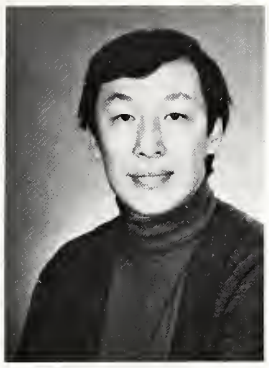

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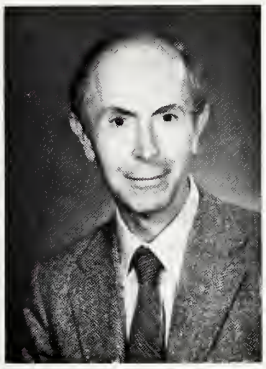

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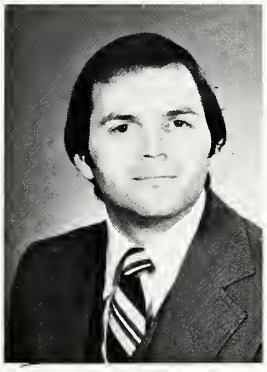

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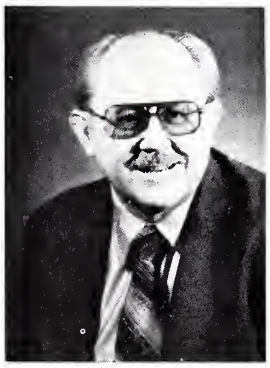
1. Soccer coach Paul Banta. 2. Mary Collins practicing the piano. 3. A typical class in Scarborough Hall. 4. Dean Joel Tibbetts racing in the Tour de France. 5. Students converse over various topics in their biology class.



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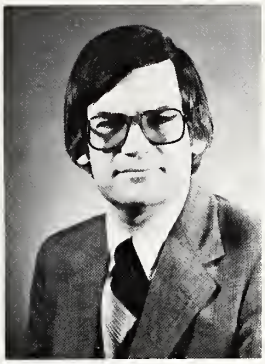

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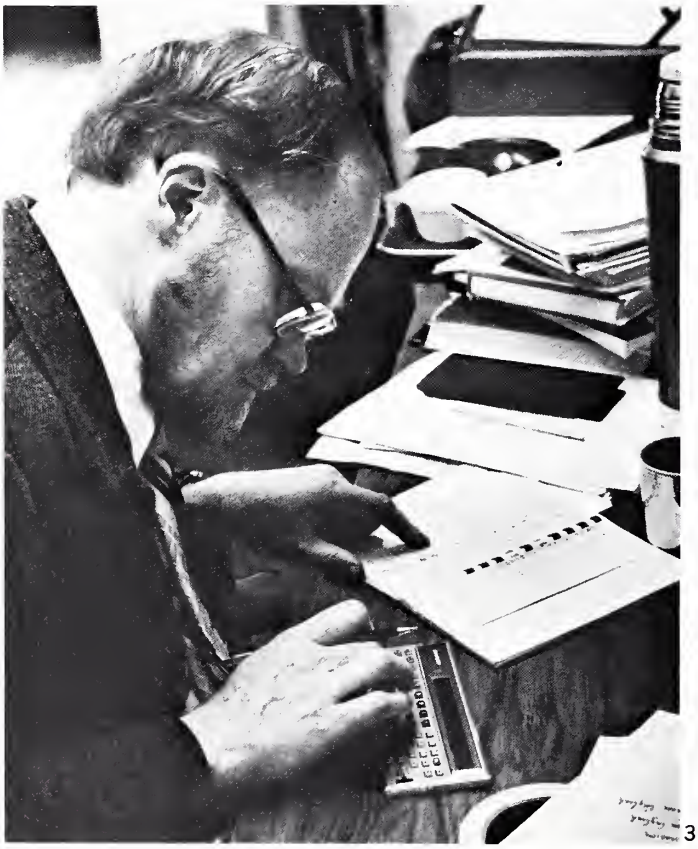

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1. Dean Joel Tibbetts converses with Pat O'Brien. 2. An exercise in trust in Mrs. Strang's P.E. class. 3. Dr. John Kenny averages his students' grades. 4. Wally Hegel researches information for his paper. 5. Dr. Rufus Cadigan confers with student Pat Tinsley.

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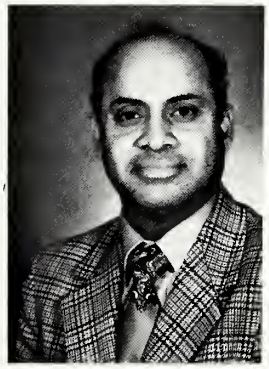

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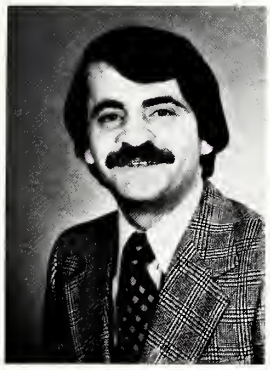

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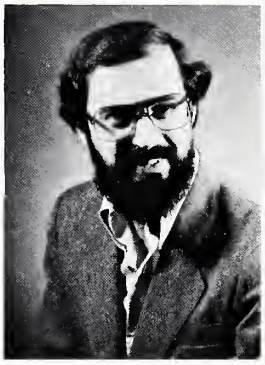

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1. Mrs. Eleanor Stanlis instructs Anne Hubbard in her violin lessons. 2. A critique of student work in the watercolor class. 3. Jackie Mullen searches for clothing articles to be used in the next theatre production. 4. Dr. Alan Hutchcroft constructs a molecular model. 5. A windy day doesn't stop Lisa Schultz from going to class.

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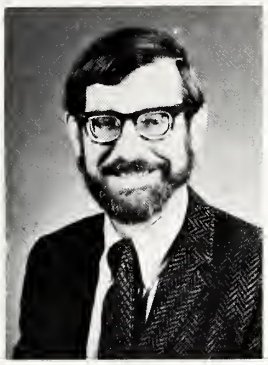

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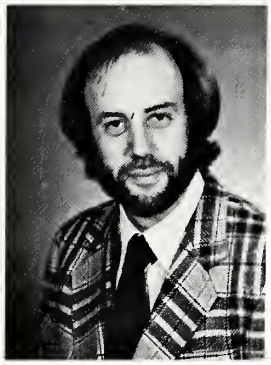

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Not Pictured: Paul Banta, Physical Education and Recreation; Pamela Bloomquist, Assistant Director of Admissions; Dr. Mahmood Butt, Chairman of Education; Dr. Victor Crawford, Chemistry, Mary Ashby Cheek American Citizen Professor; Dr. Frank Howard, Chairman of Economics and Business; Dr. M. Enamul Karim, English; Dr. John Kenny, Chairman of Psychology; Robert McCauley, Art; John Mecklenburg, Dir. of Public Relations; Dr. David Pippitt, Biology; Elizabeth Richmond, Education and Child Development, Dir. of Reading; Peter Stone, Art; Barbara Strickler, Assistant Dir. of Financial Aid; Daniel Veaner, Theatre Arts, Set and Lighting Designer; David Wallen, Economics and Business; Charles Wharton, Dean of Enrollment, Planning.

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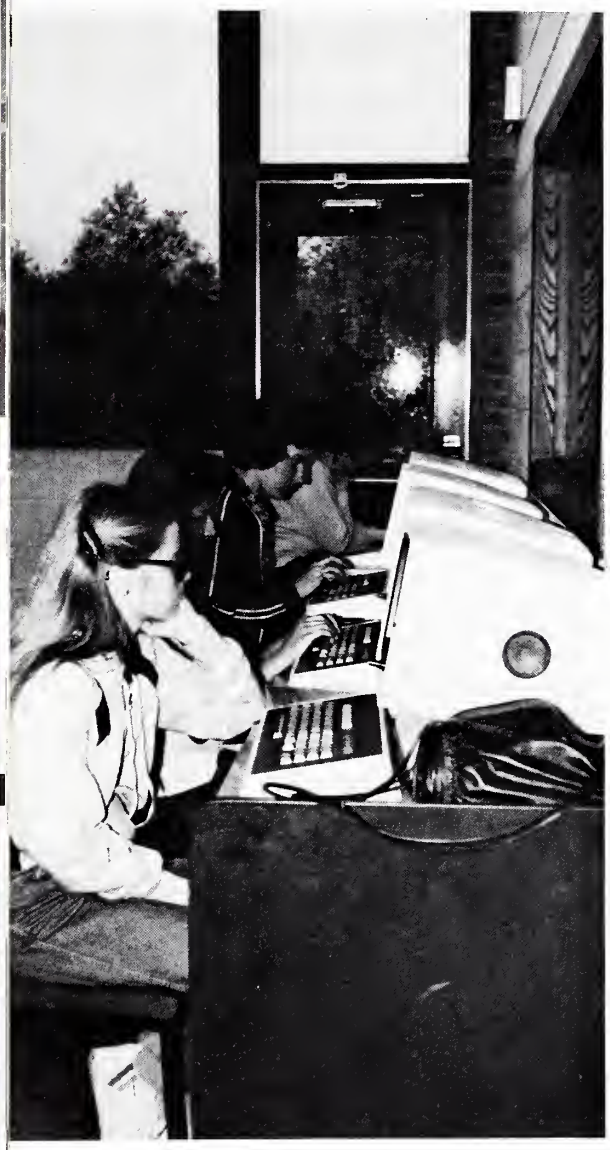

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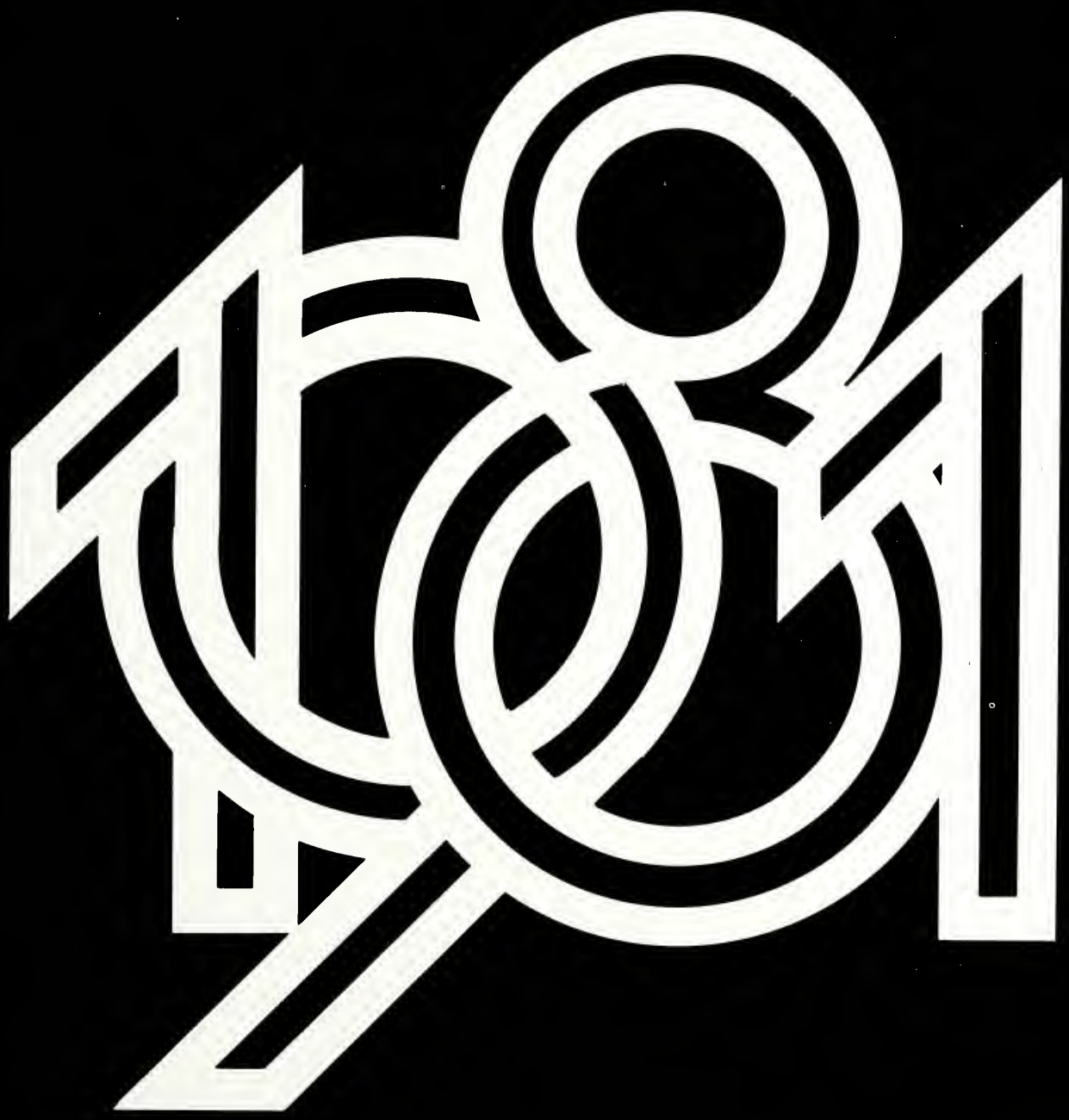

The Class of 1981

After the rush of finals and the excitement of graduation, I sat back and thought about our "Rockford College experience." Through the pictures of October Day to May Day, I realized what makes part of Rockford College so special—tradition. As seniors, we continued traditions in our pumpkin hanging, Charter Day ballooning, Senior Day revelling, and the multiplicity of other college activities. Senior Seminars, student offices, sports, and everyday life on campus has prepared us to go out into the "real world" and use our experiences to excell in our professions and live life to its fullest. While we are spending our days in separate ways, remember what we have shared, that which bonds all of us together—we are the graduating class of 1981. Best wishes to all.

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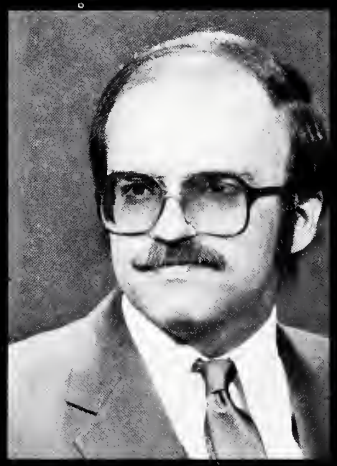

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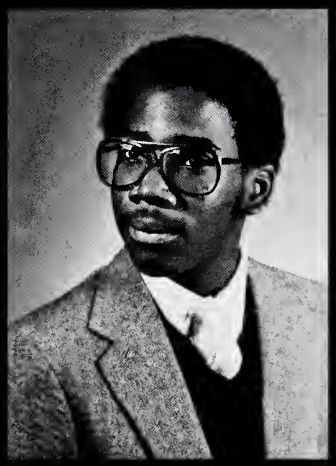

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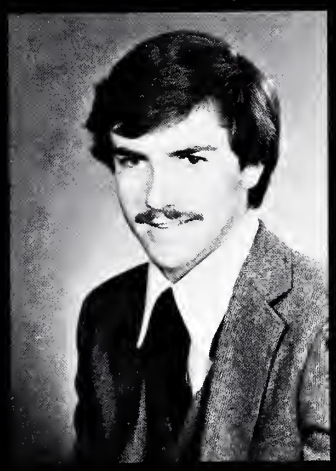

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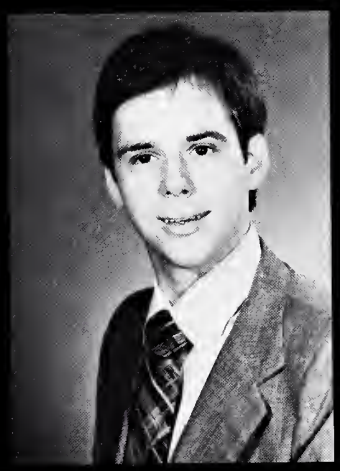

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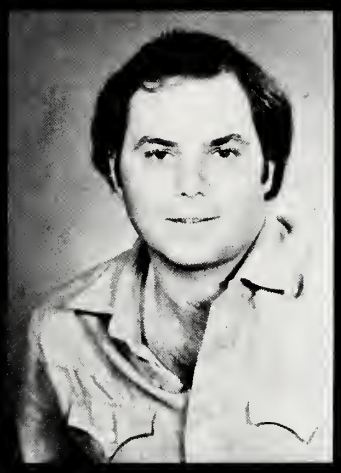

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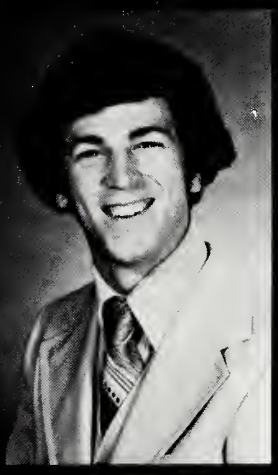

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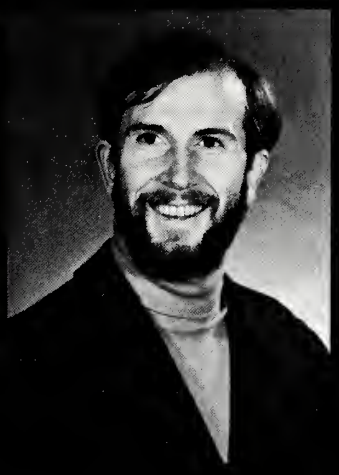

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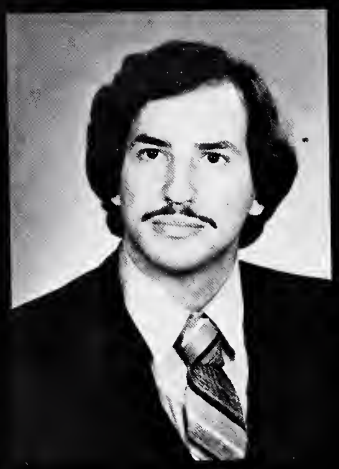

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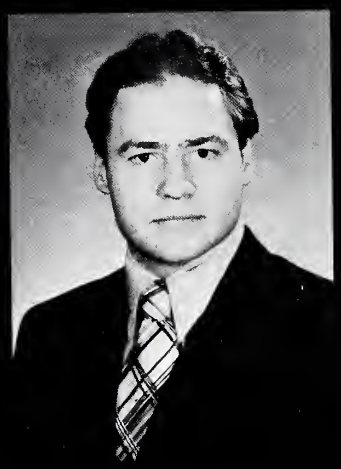

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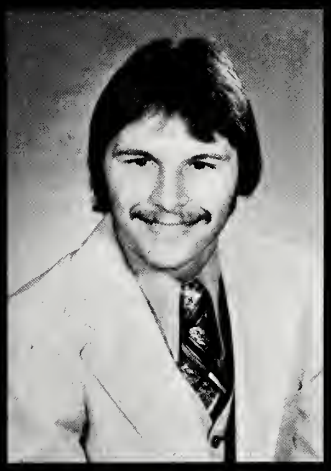

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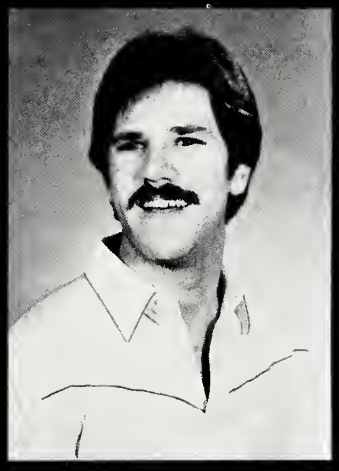

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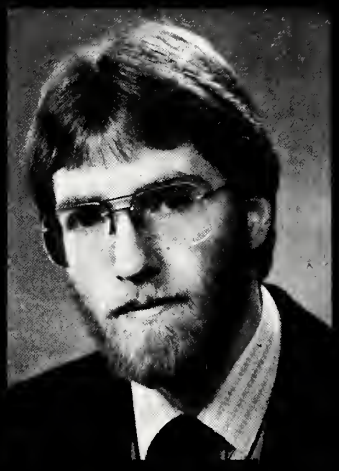

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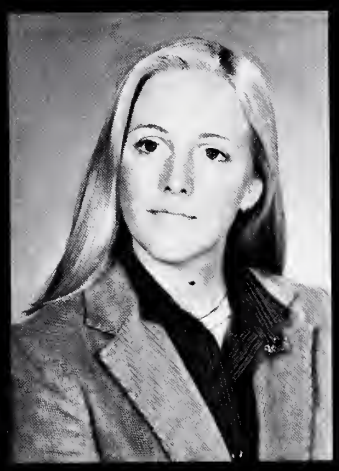

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Amy L. Taylor
B.F.A. Art
Rockford, IL

Shelly Taylor
B.A. Child Development
Rockford, IL

Jane A. Thompson
B.A. English
Glendale, WI

Patricia Tinsley
B.F.A. Dance/Theatre Arts
Rockford, IL

Linda M. Troutman
B.A. German/History
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Tanya J. Tyler
B.A. English
N. Las Vegas, NV

Lee VanDeWostine
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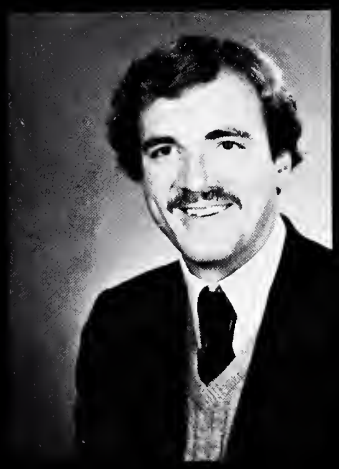
Prophetstown, IL



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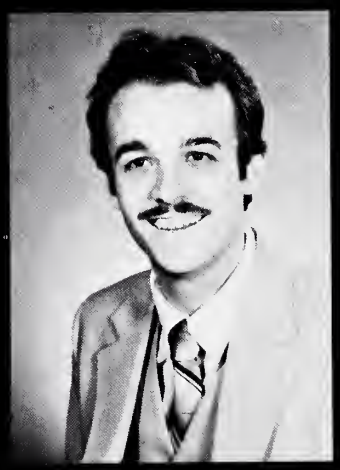

Jack Watson
B.S. Business Administration
Menomonee Falls, WI

Martina Wulf
B.S. Accounting
Rockford, IL

Vanessa L. Yates
B.F.A. Performing Arts
Freeport, IL

Anne E. Yeager
B.A. Business Administration
Wayzata, MN

Graduation

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1. The short walk from Burpee to Seaver Gym. 2. Graduates and guests listen to Commencement Speaker Ernest W. Lefever. 3. Seniors finally receive their diplomas.

Juniors 1982

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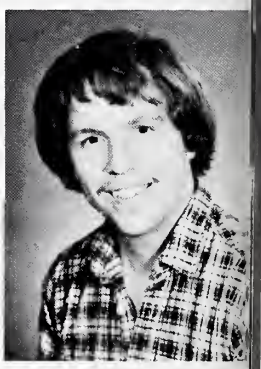
Amato, John

Bergstrom, Melinda

Blackert, LeAnn

Blohm, James



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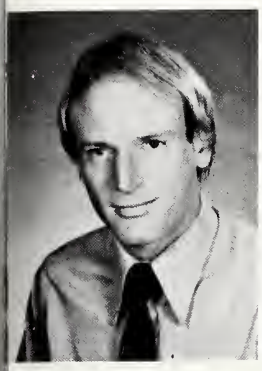

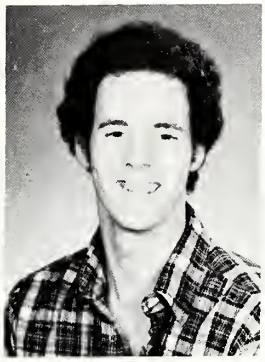

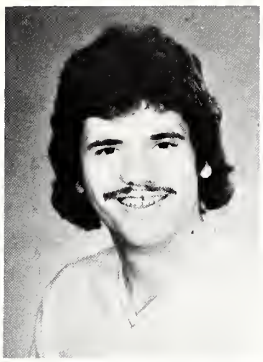

Blum, Thomas

Carlson, Christine

Cascio, Dave

Coughlan, Joseph

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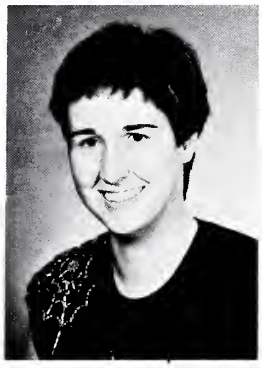
1. Chris Kowalke, Robin Tyburski, Elin Johnson, Christy Ireson, M'ellen Huckstep, Lee VanDeWostine, and Dietmar Gwinner. 2. Dann Grindemann donates blood at the V.S.C. sponsored blood drive. 3. Wild, Wild West Bunch 1981-82: Steve Lawler, Leanne Frisch, Lisa MacCrindle, Heather Paulsen, Mitch Evans, Beth Stoddard, Brian Evans, Mike Miller, and Anil Arora. 4. Talcott: Front Row: Mark Oliver, Dave DeMauro, and Rick Klotz. Row 2: Scott Epstein, Jeff Harre, Greg Nielsen, Jerry Sanborn, Dave Paulsen, and Craig Swiontek. Back Row: Warren Boykin, Ed Nettles, Paul Westman, John Koch, Mark Hatfield, and Joe Kvidera. 5. Barb Burkhardt, Mr. Philip Dedrick, and Jackie Robbins.

Determan, Cara

Faeth, Gyl



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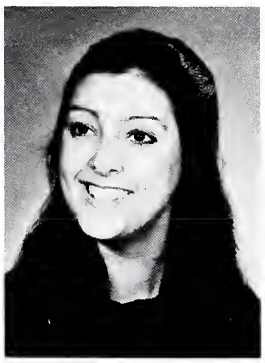

Foss, Alan

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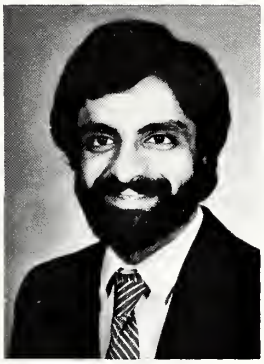
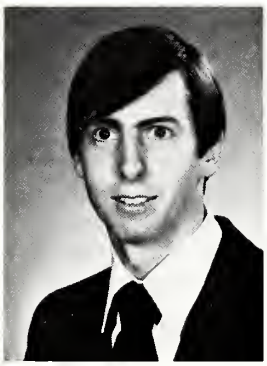
1. A busy Snack Bar for food and conversation. 2. Chris Herman and Doug Jones backstage at Freshmen Follies. 3. John Koch receives the first massage from the Emerson booth at Club Fair. 4. Ron McInnes, Yuri Sunaba, Joe Coughlan, and Randy Stayner. 5. Betsy Joslin and John Amato.





Fox, Dorene

Godinez, Ernesto

Habib, Kalbe

Hall, Don

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Harre, Jeffri

Hemmer, Bret

Hernandez, Jorge

Hudnall, Vicki

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Huselbus, Candace

Hunter, Jessie

Ireson, Veda Christina

Ivy, Quentina

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1. Sandy Chapman, Amy Taylor, and Julia Stotler. 2. Barnes: Front Row: Adrienne Sloat, Beth Ruppert, Kakie Smith. Row 2: Dawn Griswold, Vicki Hudnall, Martha Clift, Theresa Casey, LaSonja Davis. Row 3: Lee Ann Chamberlain, Rhonda Derrer, Anne McCauley, and Kathy Novak. Back Row: Dawn Mullard and Carrie Coulman. 3. Ed Nettles. 4. The William Shakespeare Festival: Jim Martine, Joe Kvidera, Chuck Cavazos, and Jeff Harre. 5. The annual square dance held in Regents Hall.

Johnson, Brian

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Johnson, Elin

Johnston, Bonnie

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Johnston, Cheryl

1. Lou Ann McKinney and Greg Nielson in "She Stoops to Conquer." 2. Mrs. Barb Allen shows efforts of seniors' decorating. 3. Svenson: Front Row: Sid Ruby, Don Kuhnen, Mike Anderson, Ian Smith, and Mark Sheedy. Row 2: Hank Brautigam, Joe Alsup, Joe Coughlan, John Hegel, Bill DeBatty, Wolfgang Klein, Jim Renier, and Brian Andrews. Back Row: Al Wirth, John Bradshaw, Joe Svec, Jim Shiltz, Tom Root, John Anderson, Jim Fleming, and Rob Bauman. 4. The cheerleaders and Regent Rowdies at Dad's Day activities. 5. The remains of the Charter Day senior prank.

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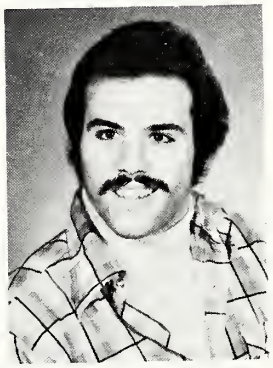

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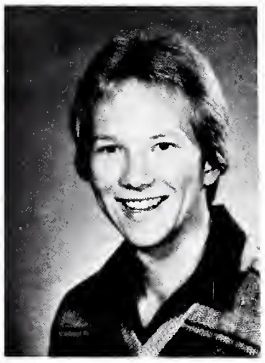
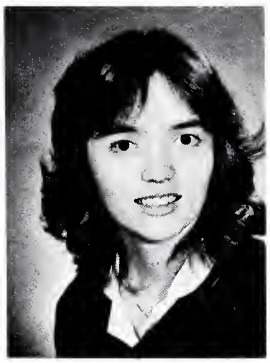
Longnecker, Debra

Lopez, Cindy

Maxwell, Donald





1. TQ's: Lisa Graber, Susie Dean, Leslie Robins, and Beth Ruppert. 2. Maureen Joy in "Glitz". 3. Rich Diebner, Michelle Modrow, Karen Stevens, Kevin Readman, Bret Hemmer, Julie Mezner, and Adrienne Sloat. 4. 7th floor McGaw: Front Row: Ellen Lynch, Kim Spears, Vicki Hudnall, Linda Troutman, Chris Kowalke, and Mara Coughlan. Row 2: Susan Winterbauer, Sue Grebas, Lori Sorenson, Stephanie Veldhuis, Christy Ireson, Chris Ericson, Elin Johnson, April Ogush, Val Jackson, and Jane Thompson. Back Row: Cheryl Sipes, Doreen Kane, Kathy Best, and Laura Lansing. 5. LeeAnn Chamberlain, Mark Hardie, Rick Klotz, and Sherri Harbison.

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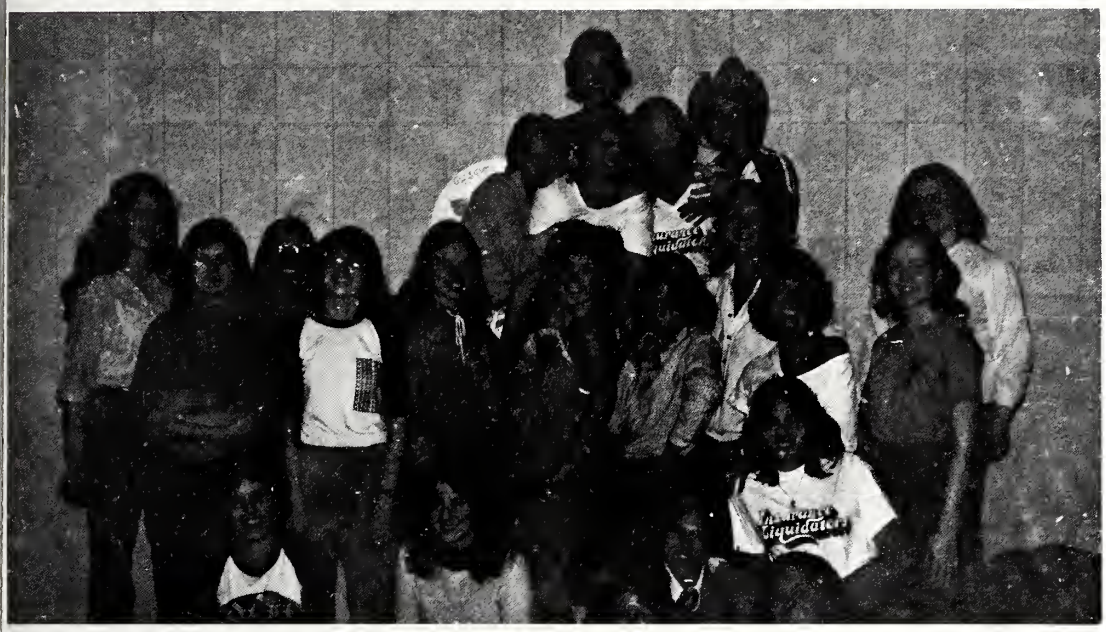

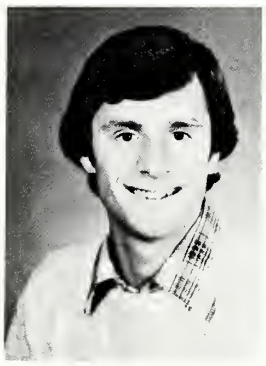

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McDermott, Kevin

Metzger, Nancy

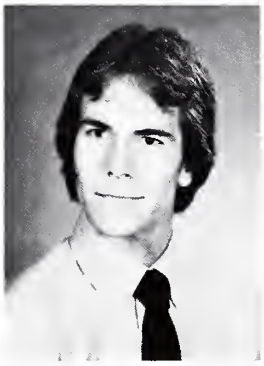
Michaels, Thomas

Michalowski, David

Miles, Kim

Mullen, Jackie

Nelson, Chris



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1. Paul Watson and Jim Martine at the controls of WRCR. 2. Winter at Rockford College. 3. Susie Dean and Val Jackson in "Lady House Blues". 4. The growing pile of caps and gowns after graduation ceremonies. 5. Cumming's RA's: Terry Kay, Jack Watson, Greg Warren—Head Honcho, Robin Tyburski, and Steve Lawler.

Nutter, Wendy Joy

Rathke, Nancy

Reynolds, Ann

Rich, Laura

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Ricketts, Pam

Ruud, Tom

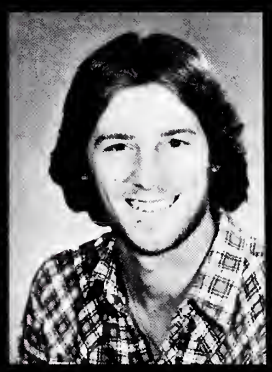
Samuelson, Danita

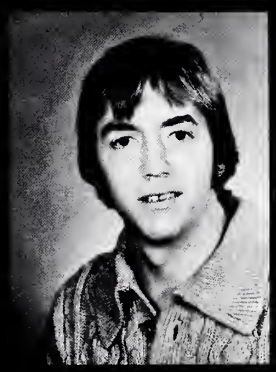
Shiltz, Jim

Slifer, David

Traff, Linda

Tyburski, Robin





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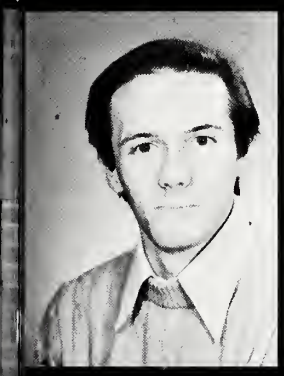

Wenziker, Gordon

Wickerson, Margaret

Wrage, Jeanne

Zimmerman, Jim

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1. Gundi Kjartansson shows form and strength in an R.C. victory. 2. Cummings' Goodwill Box Dress-up. Steve Espach, Jeff Harre, Laura Wasowicz, Steve Lawler, John Koch, and Mark Hardie. 3. A nice Indian Summer day. 4. Mike Miller and Bill Reardon lead the new R.C. alumni after the conclusion of graduation.

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Alsup, Joe

Andersen, Karen

Anderson, Tim

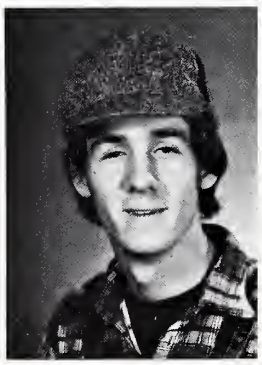
Arora, Anil

Bartholomew, Kelly

Bartolomei, Karl

Beakey, Mark

Best, Kathy



1. Susie Dean and Liza Soland in "Lady House Blues" 2. Laura Wasowicz and her Bruce Springsteen picture collection. 3. Leslie Robins, Steve Espach, and Beth Ruppert. 4. McPhail: Front Row: Sarah Gittings, Jackie Crow, Lou Heeg, Lori Schelke, Pat O'Brien, and Betsy Joslin. Row 2: Jody Carlson, and Deb Gaddis. Row 3: Jill Sjolin, Jennifer Nolan, Yuko Sakai, Yuri Sunaba, Karen Kabellis. Back Row: Lisa Hoffmeister, Deb Bogan, Chris Carlson, Ann Reynolds, Wendy Derr, Barb Hill, Nancy Lurton, and T.J. Tyler.

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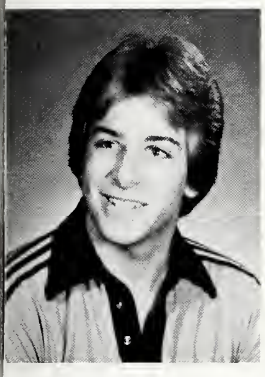

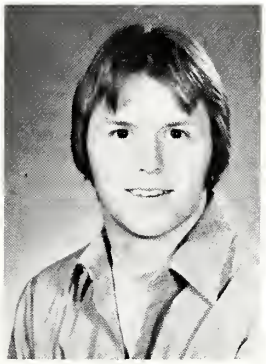

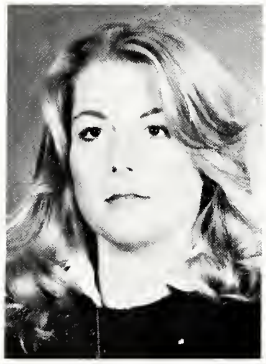

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Bradshaw, John

Brun, Natalie

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Cassady, Rebecca

Cavazos, Chuck

Chamberlain, LeeAnn

Conboy, Ed

Coughlan, Mara

Coulman, Cary

Crow, Jackie

Davison, Linda

DeMauro, Dave

Egert, Maribeth

Epstein, Scott

Evans, Mitch

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1. Kim Koster and Eric Vogel. 2. Karl Peterson shaves for the state swim meet. 3. Kathy Best, Pat Novak, M'ellen Huckstep, and Cheryl Sipes do their dance at Svenson's Toga Party. 4. New preview students at Rockford College.

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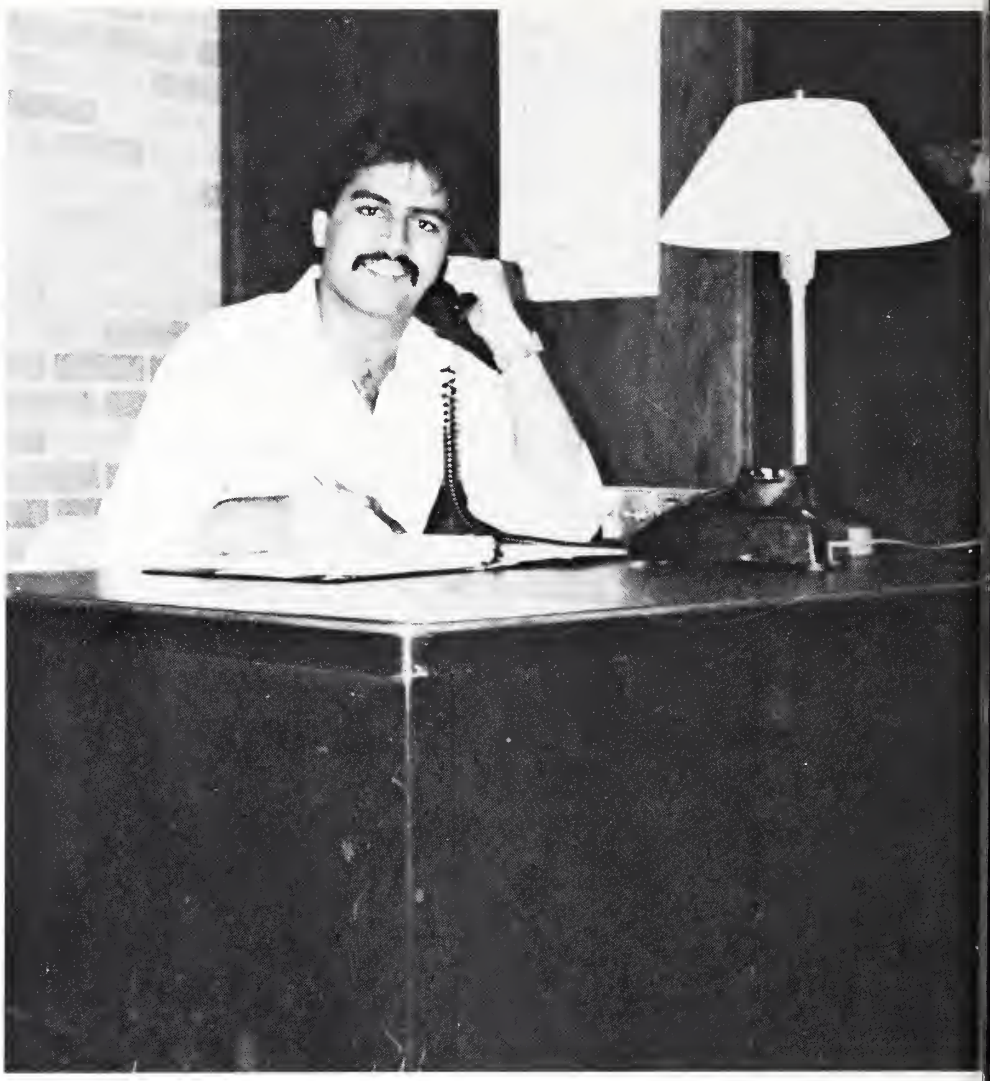

1. Sunil Puri at the Burpee Information Desk. 2. Emerson: Front Row: Pam Barlow and Gaby Barbosa. Row 2: Teresa Frisbie, Bert Andrews, Terri Komar, Terry Kay, Sue Christiansen, Leslie Boyer, Pat Novak, Donna Kmen, and Sarah Brewer. Row 3: Laura Wasowicz, Deb Bowman, Lori Alfe, Cindy Parks, Kim McDermott, Kim Berry, Linda Habel, Gay Littlefield, and Lisa Soland. Back Row: Doreen Kane and Leslie Robins. 3. Linda Davison and Mike Morris performing in the Soph-more Show. 4. Kevin Readman and Julie Bjorn.

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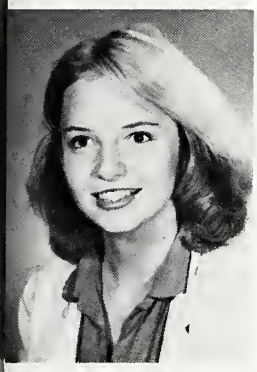

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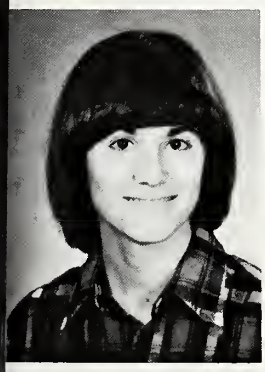
Gulan, Linda

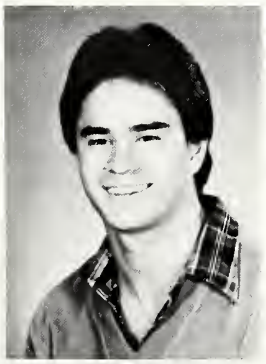
Habel, Linda

Hansen, Mark

Hanson, Lynn

Harper, Linda





Harshbarger, Laurie

Hagel, Wally

Hibbs, Dave

Joy, Maureen

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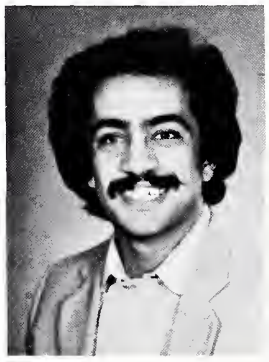
1. Bill Moreland and Linda Troutman make a pumpkin delivery to the Health Center. 2. Out with the old Steve Lawler, in with the new Dave DeMauro. 3. Lathrop: Front Row: Keith Sobbe, Paul Watson, Tom Johnson, Mark Beakey, Dave Michaelowski, Mike Klein, John Lussier, Jack Watson, Abed Kirrish, and Nadeem Queshi. Back Row: Mark Hansen, Chip Donovan, Ed Conboy, John Ruud, Jim Krug, and Dan McGinnis. 4. Freshmen Follies: Chuck Cerniglia, Keith Doering, Chris Herman, Jeff Petro, and Doug Jones.

Kane, Doreen

Khatami, Salahadin



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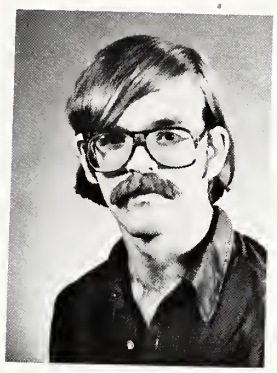
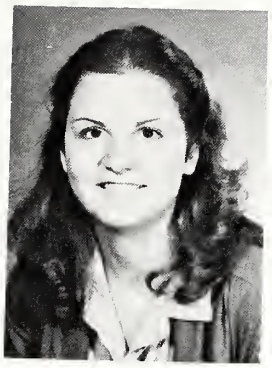

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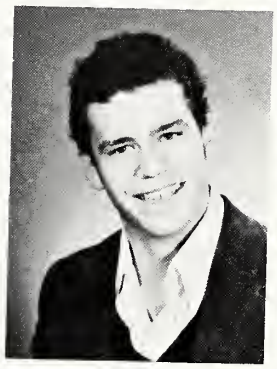

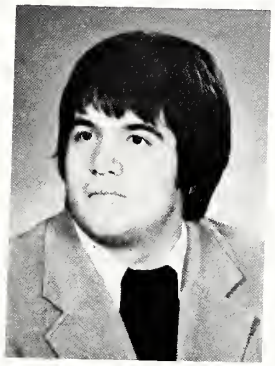

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Miller, Debbie

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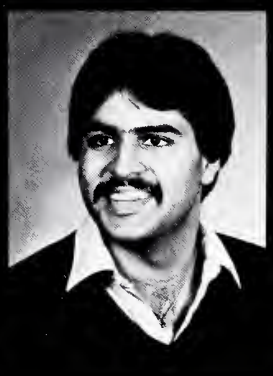

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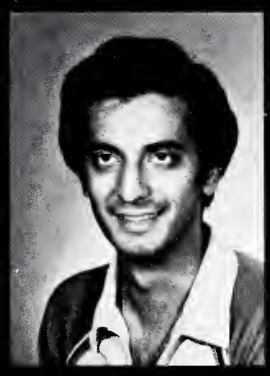

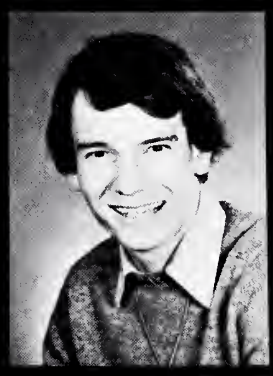

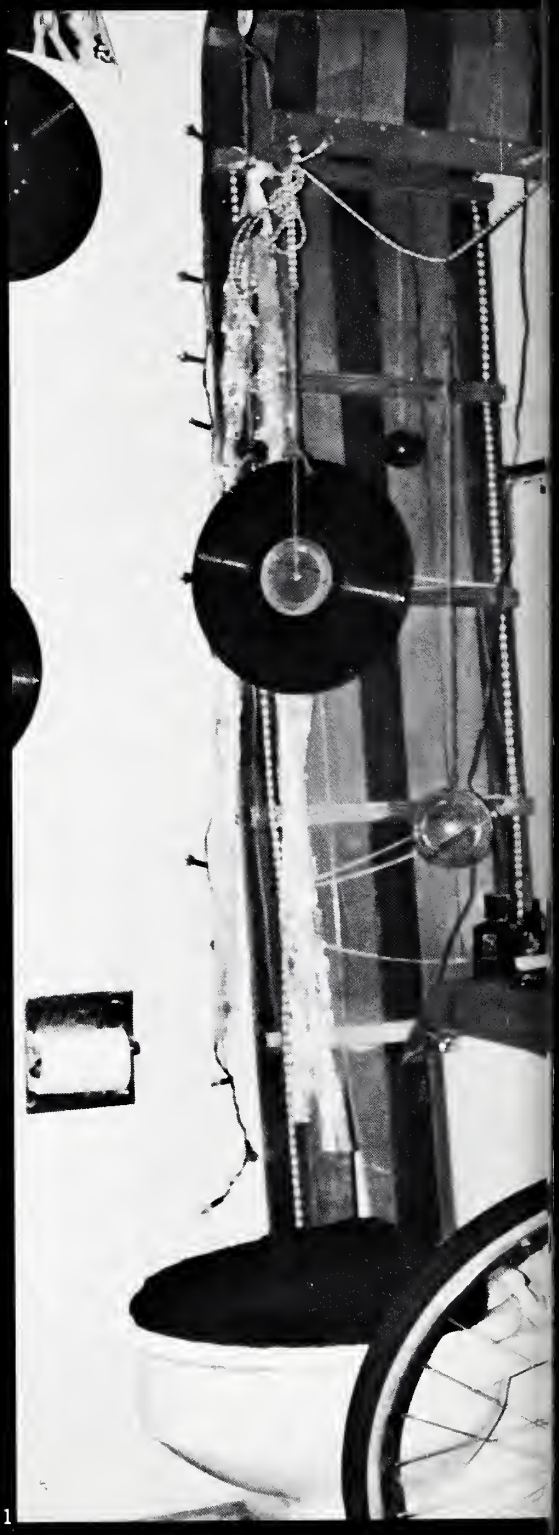

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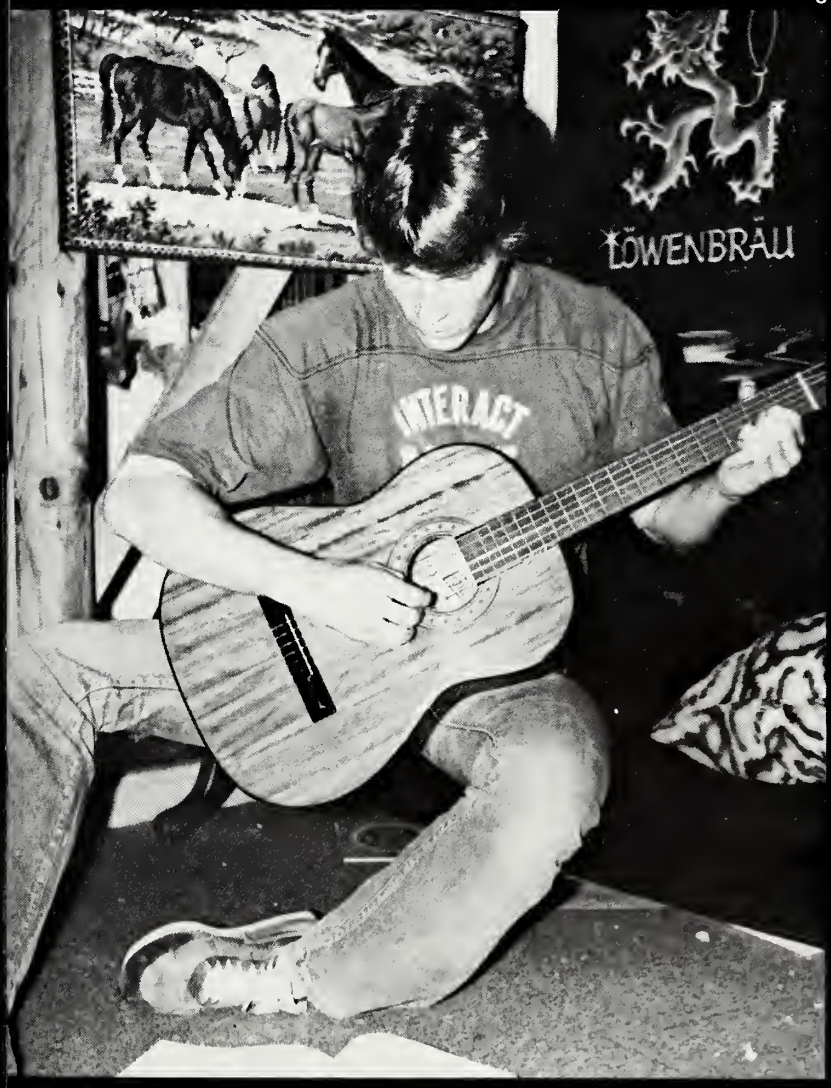

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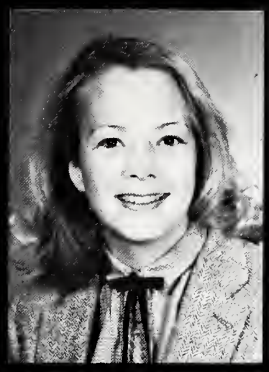

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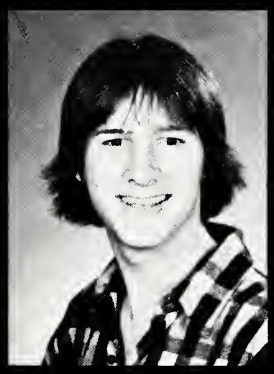

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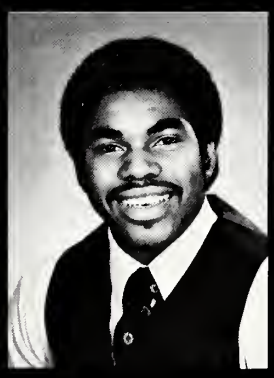


Rome, Dennis

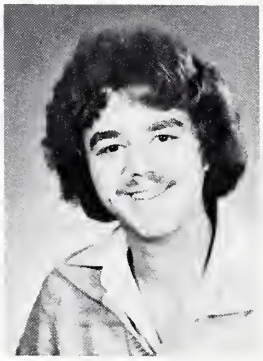
1. Dann Grindeman's dada bathroom. 2. Chris Kowalke, Mike Morris, M'ellen Huckstep, Cheryl Sipes, Kathy Best, and Jackie Crow model the latest in sleepwear. 3. Liza Soland and Mike McNally perform musical selections for the Soph-more Show. 4. Hank Brautigam practices the guitar.

Ross, Theresa

Sakai, Yuko

Skok, Tom

Sloat, Adrienne



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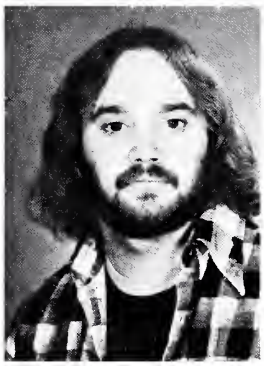

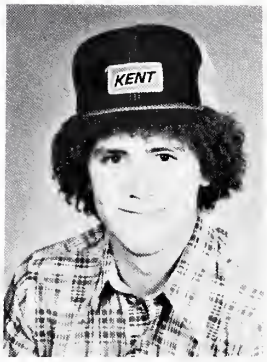

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1. Jeff Harre's twenty-first birthday party. 2. Registration for Dads' Day. 3. McGaw Third Floor: Front Row: John Comiskey, Chuck Cerniglia, Arlyn Eisenbrandt, Lars Bloom, Dennis Young, and Bruce Canfield. Row 2: Sunil Puri, Anil Arora, Mike Miller, Tim Dlhy, Steve Schneider, Jim Blohm, and Dave Hibbs. Back Row: Bruce Ludeke, Jack Hindman, Brian Evans, Dave Warden, and Jim Walesa. 4. Hank Brautigam and John Bradshaw.

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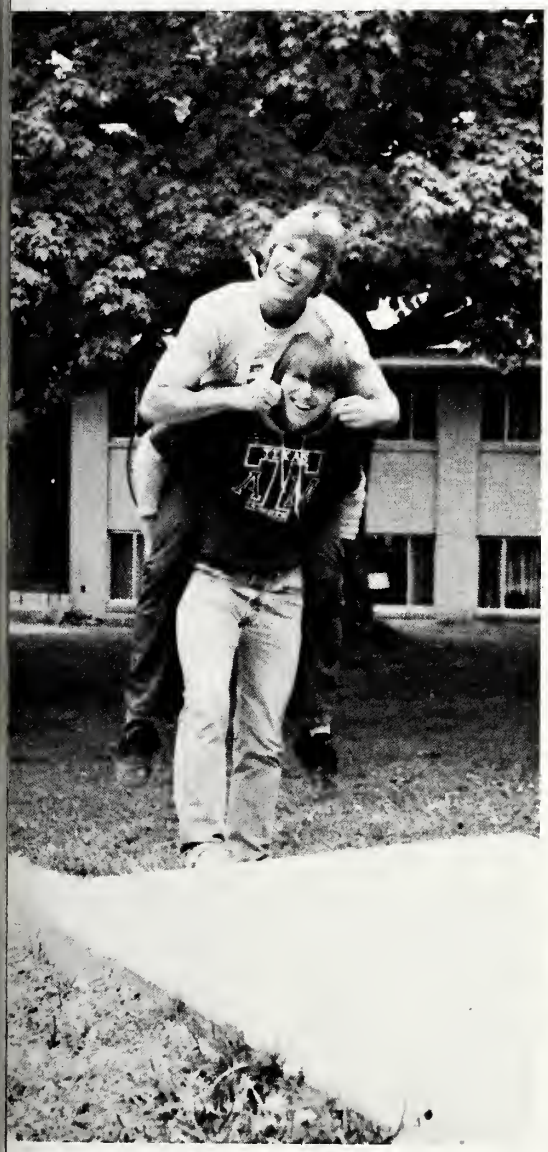

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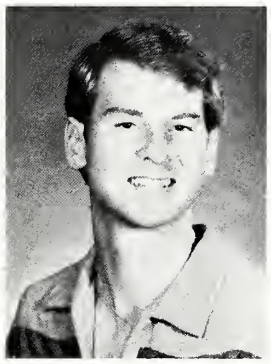

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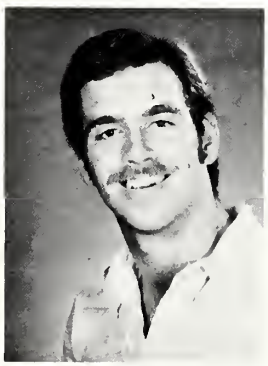
Wasowicz, Laura

Westman, Paul



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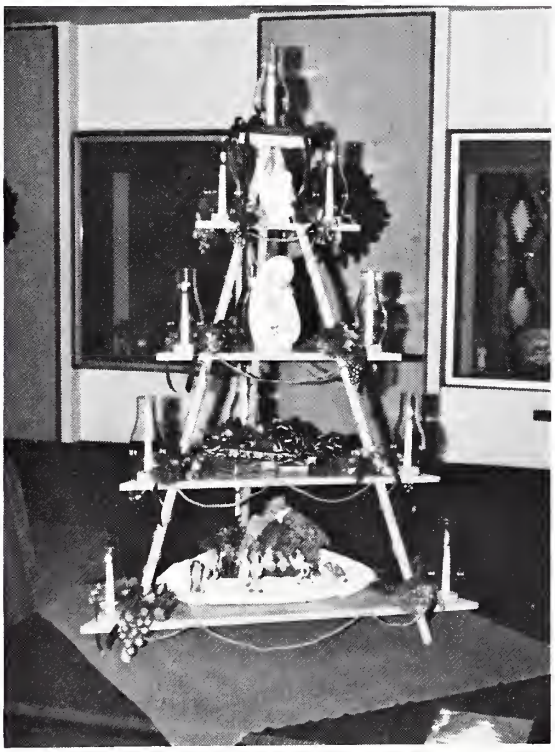

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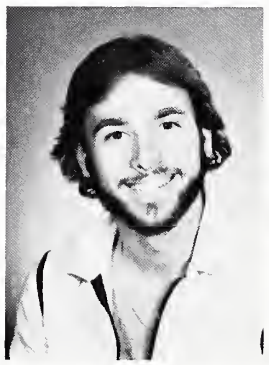

Atkinson, Debra

Berry, Kim

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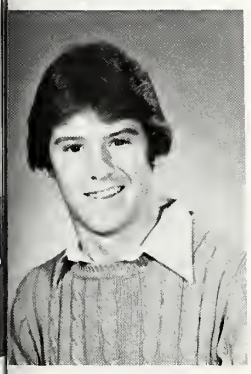
1. Harold Neal. 2. Jim Fleming, Betsy Bettner, and Al Worth. 3. The Czechoslovakian Christmas Tree in Clark Arts Center. 4. Winner of the Tour de France, John Koch. 5. The Regent Rowdies.

Bloom, Lars

Bowman, Debi

Brautigam, Kathe

Cappelletti, Linda



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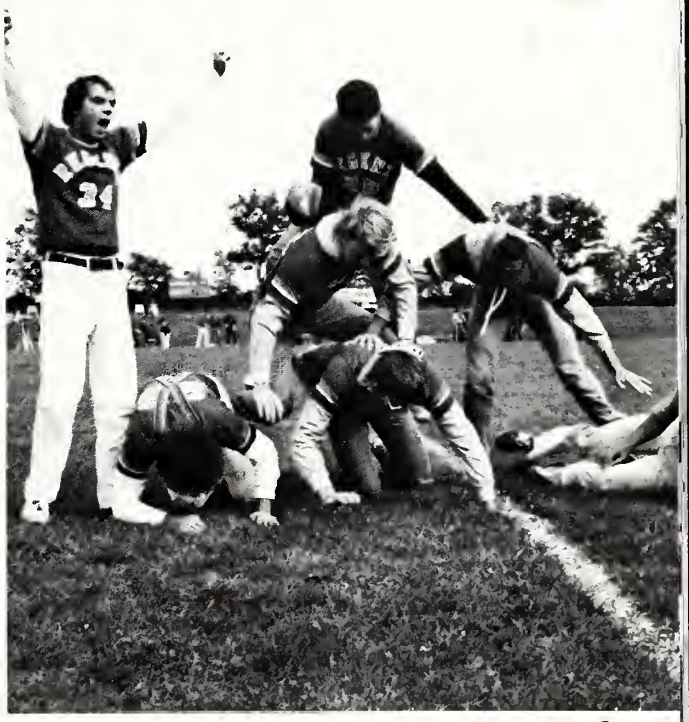

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1. Rockford College's Original Jug Band. Front row: Amy Taylor and Lou Heeg. Row 2: Teresa Frisbie, Laura Wasowicz, Mark Beakey, Dean Joel Tibbetts, Dan Veaner, and Vicki Woolf. 2. Linda Habel and Liza Soland. 3. Donna Addison as Dean Tibbetts in Freshmen Follies. 4. Yuko Sakai and Yuri Sunaba. 5. Students await the arrival of the bicyclists at the annual Tour de France.

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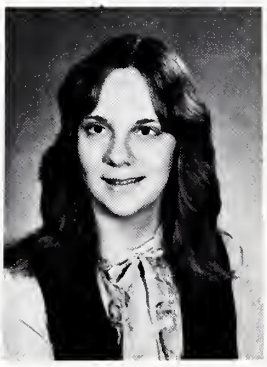
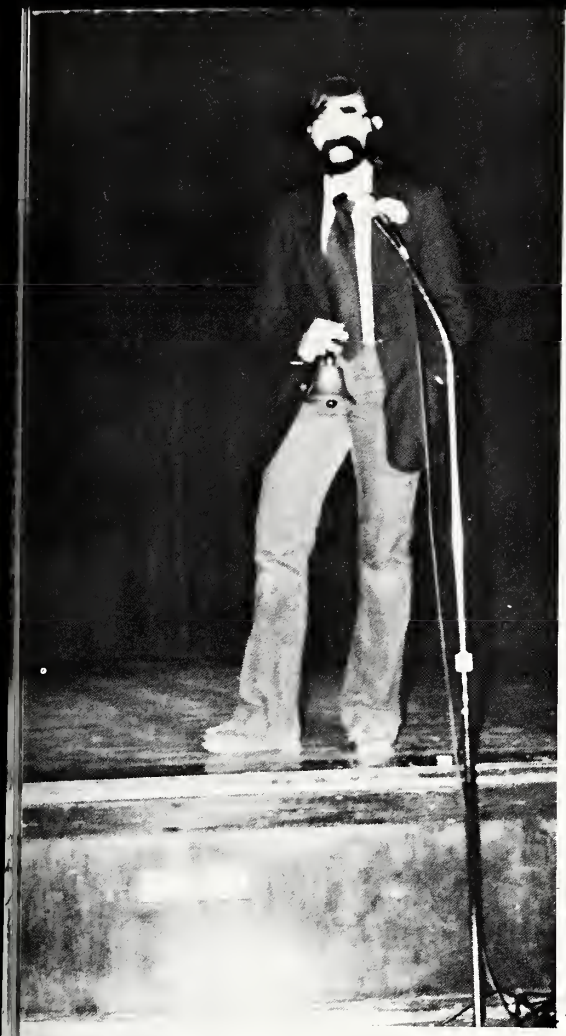
Dagg, Marcie

Davis, Cindy

Derrer, Ronda

Eisenbrandt, Arlyn





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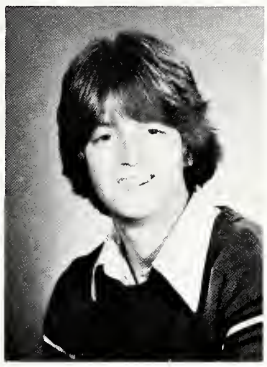

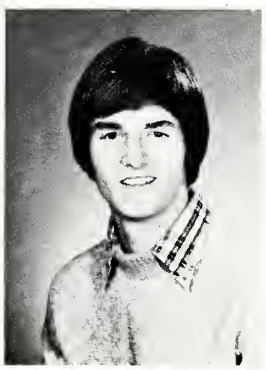

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Fleming, Jim

Floreani, Karen

Foley, Jennifer

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Folkerts, Wayne

Frank, Linda

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Genandt, Lyndon

Gentry, Laura

Gibson, Julie

Gosstrom, Lori

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1. Happy graduates: Beth Ruppert and Leslie Robins. 2. The Wild, Wild West Bunch lets loose. 3. Bettyann Pappenfus and her mother at the graduate reception. 4. Dayton: Row 1: John Sousa, Kelly O'Brien, Can Turkeri, Randy Vantrepotte, and Conan Donnellan. Row 2: Mitch DeCicco, Lyndon Genandt, Wally Hegel, Craig Sanden, Tom Flood, Bill McGrath, Kenny Newman, Jeff Knodle, Chris Kazenecki, Rick Rutter, Herb Ruterschmidt, and Kelly Wirth. Row 3: Tom Michaels, Keith Wollner, John Amato, Larry Mangano, Randy Segalla, Carl Bartolomei, Mike Morris, Mike Stran, Scott Bunn, and Dietmar Gwinner. Back Row: Jeff Petro, Loren Hess, and Lance Rutter. 5. Kakie Smith, Pam Balow, Cary Coulman, Lisa Schramm, Anne McCauley, Linda Habel, Sue Christiansen, Terri Komar, and Gaby Barbosa.

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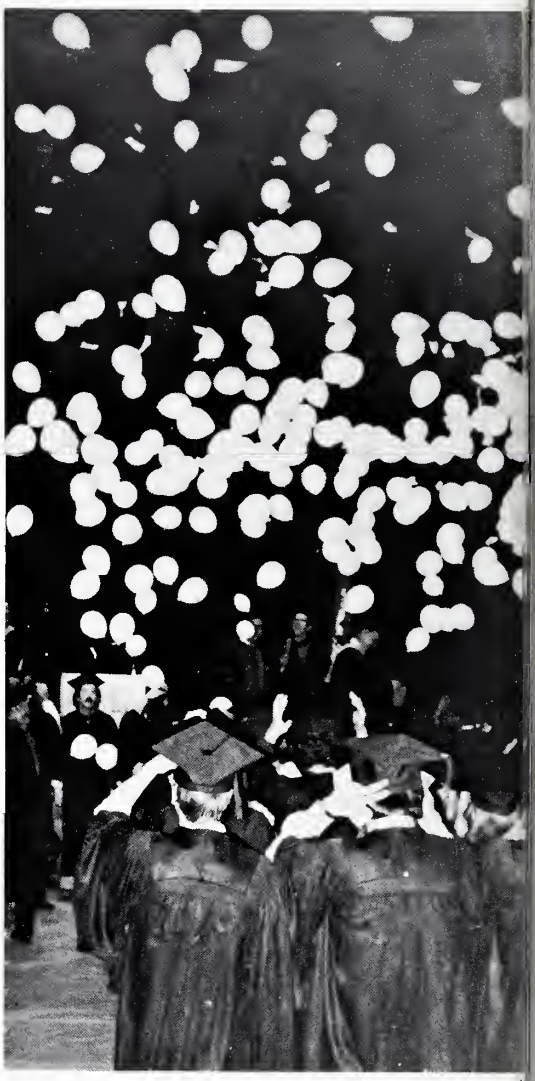
Halpin, Jerilyn

Harlan, Carol

Hatfield, Mark

Herman, Christine

Gregorcy, Phil



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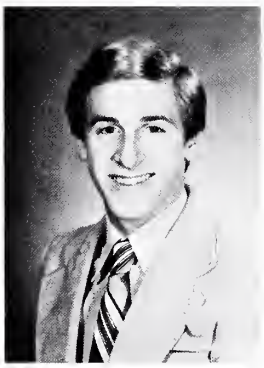
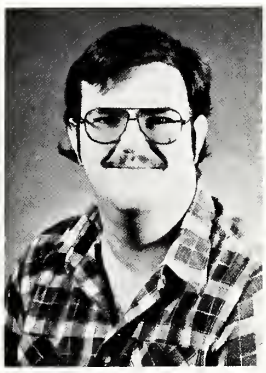
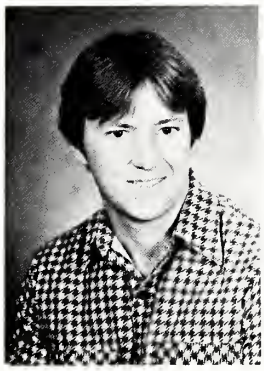
Klein, Mike

Krug, Jim







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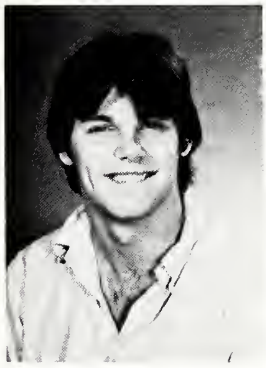

Lussier, John

Mariani, Jayne

Marsh, Lisa

McDermet, Kim

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1. 5th Floor: Front: Penna Broman and Karen Andersen. Row 2: Cindy Weakland, Deann Hirst, and Heather Paulsen. Back Row: Lisa Graber, Susie Dean, Vanessa Yates, Carrie Kutzke, and Donna Addison. 2. Balloons everywhere for Charter Day. 3. The display of senior artwork in the gallery. 4. John Hegel, Sara Gittings, and Lou Heeg in the marathon basketball game for April Badness. 5. Second place winners at April Badness.

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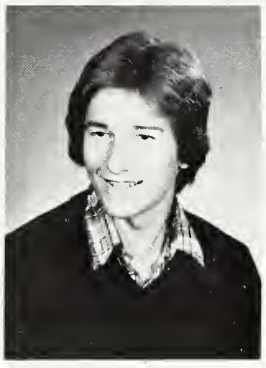
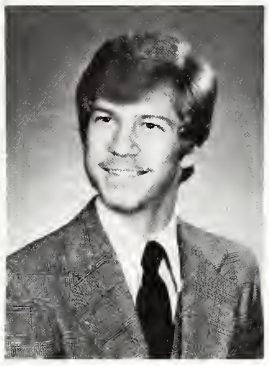

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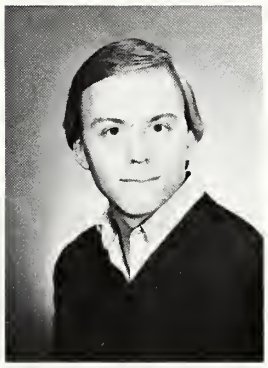
Nolan, Jennifer



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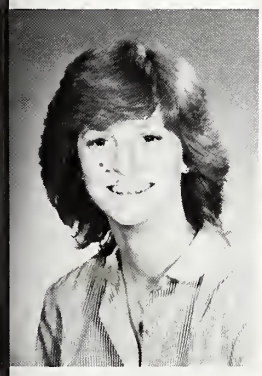
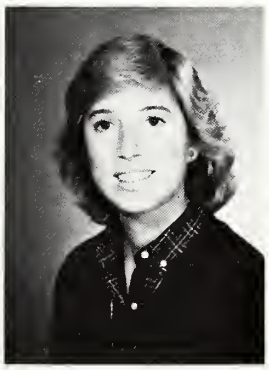

O'Brien, Pat

Ogush, April

Palmieri, Tina

1. Kim Speers and Linda Determan. 2. Lori Glosstrom. 3. 6th floor: Front Row: Cindy Cissel, Julie Bjorn, and Barb Burkhardt. Row 2: Linda Davison, Bettyann Pappenfus, Sandy Clark, and Jayne Mariani. Row 3: Cara Determan, Laura Gentry, Katee Henry, Chris Herman, and Shelly Taylor. Row 4: Karen Markese, Marya Kovacik, Kim Koster, Jodi Billstrom, Kelly Bartholomew, and Stephanie Veldhuis. Back Row: Kathe Brautigam, Sarah French, Lisa MacCrindle, Ellen Evans, Le Ann Blackert, Kelly McCarthy, and Lee VanderWostine. 4. Lisa Graber and friend. 5. Mike McNally decorates with shaving cream during 3rd floor's false alarm panty raid on Cummings Center.

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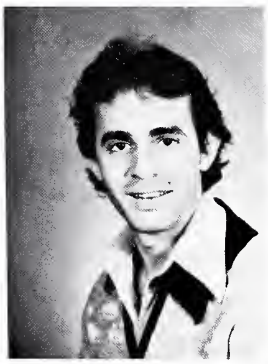
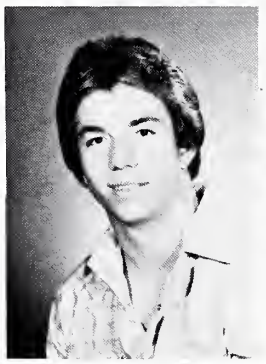
Petro, Jeff

Pontes, Reginaldo

Root, Tom

Schramm, Lisa





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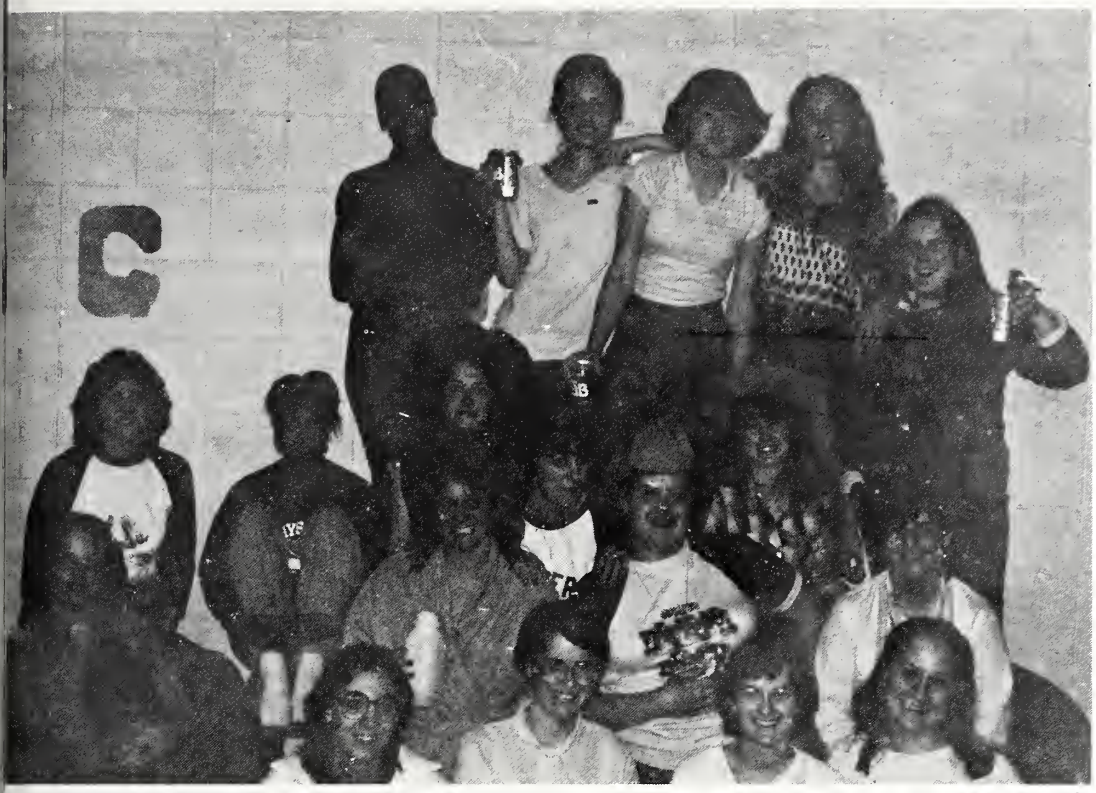

1. The pie eating contest at April Badness. 2. Gyl Faeth and Mark Hatfield at the May Day Dance. 3. Rod Meyers, Pam Balow, Ed Nettles, Gaby Barbosa, Terri Komar, and Bill Marcille. 4. 4th Floor: Front Row: Marianne Minnis, Renee Peron, Jackie Robbins, and Linda Gulan. Row 2: Nancy Lurton, Lori Gosstrom, and Vicki Woolf. Back Row: Carmen Baptiste, Phyllis Runyon, Nikki Nolin, Mary Collins, and Mary Ambrose. 5. Arlyn Eisenbrandt demonstrates his new vegetable slicer on Dean Joel Tibbetts.

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Schultz, Lisa

Silvio, Paulette

Simeran, Adri

Sorensen, Lori

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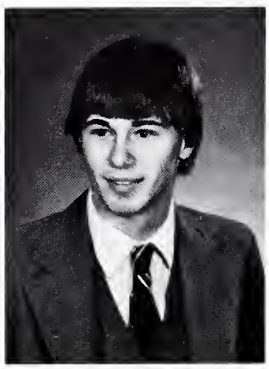
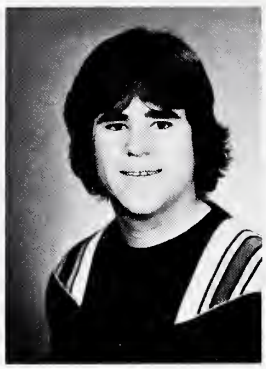
Watson, Paul





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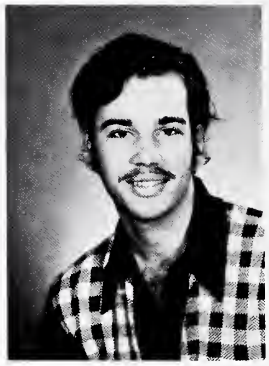

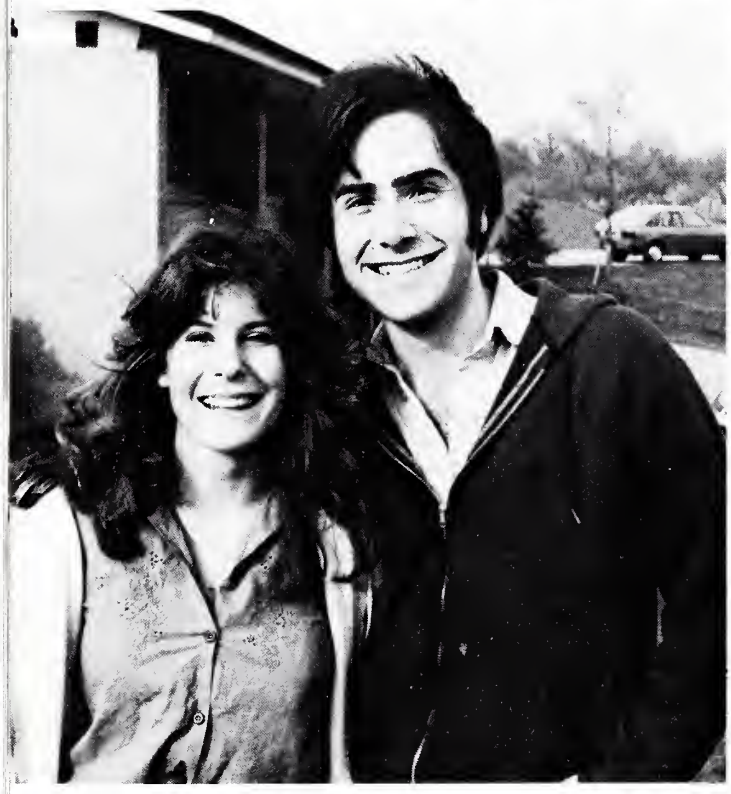

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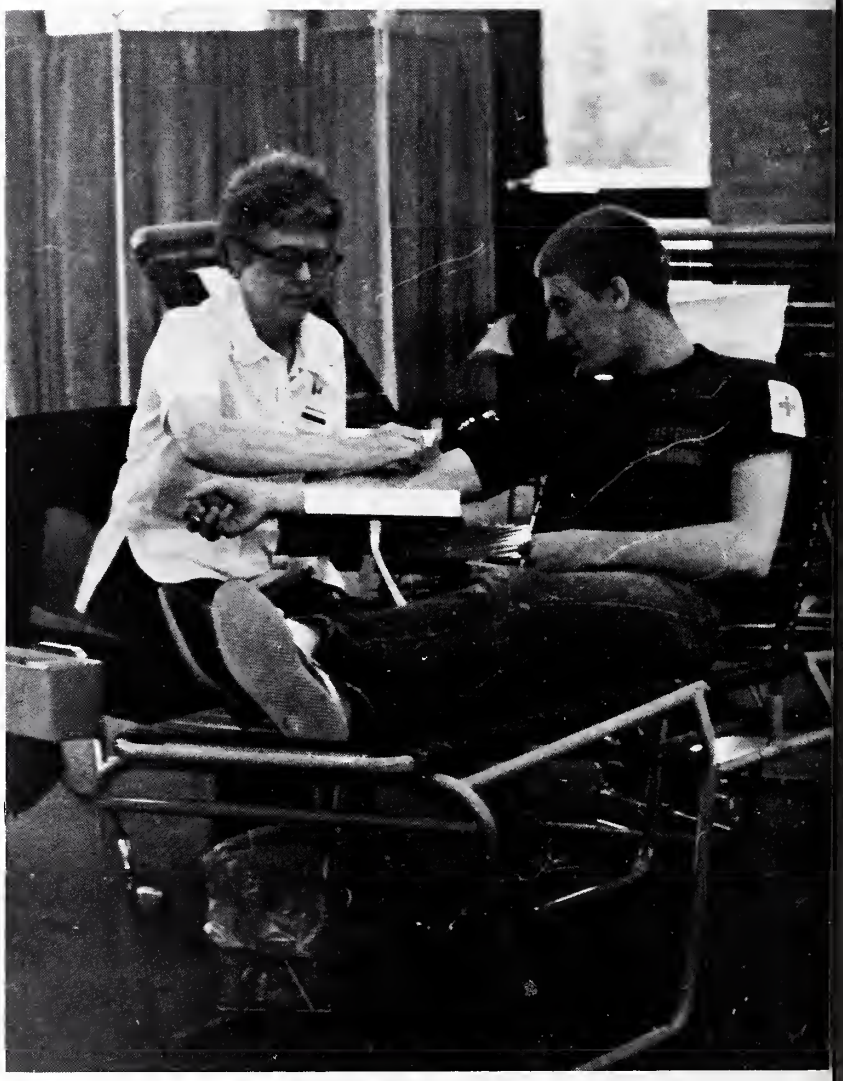

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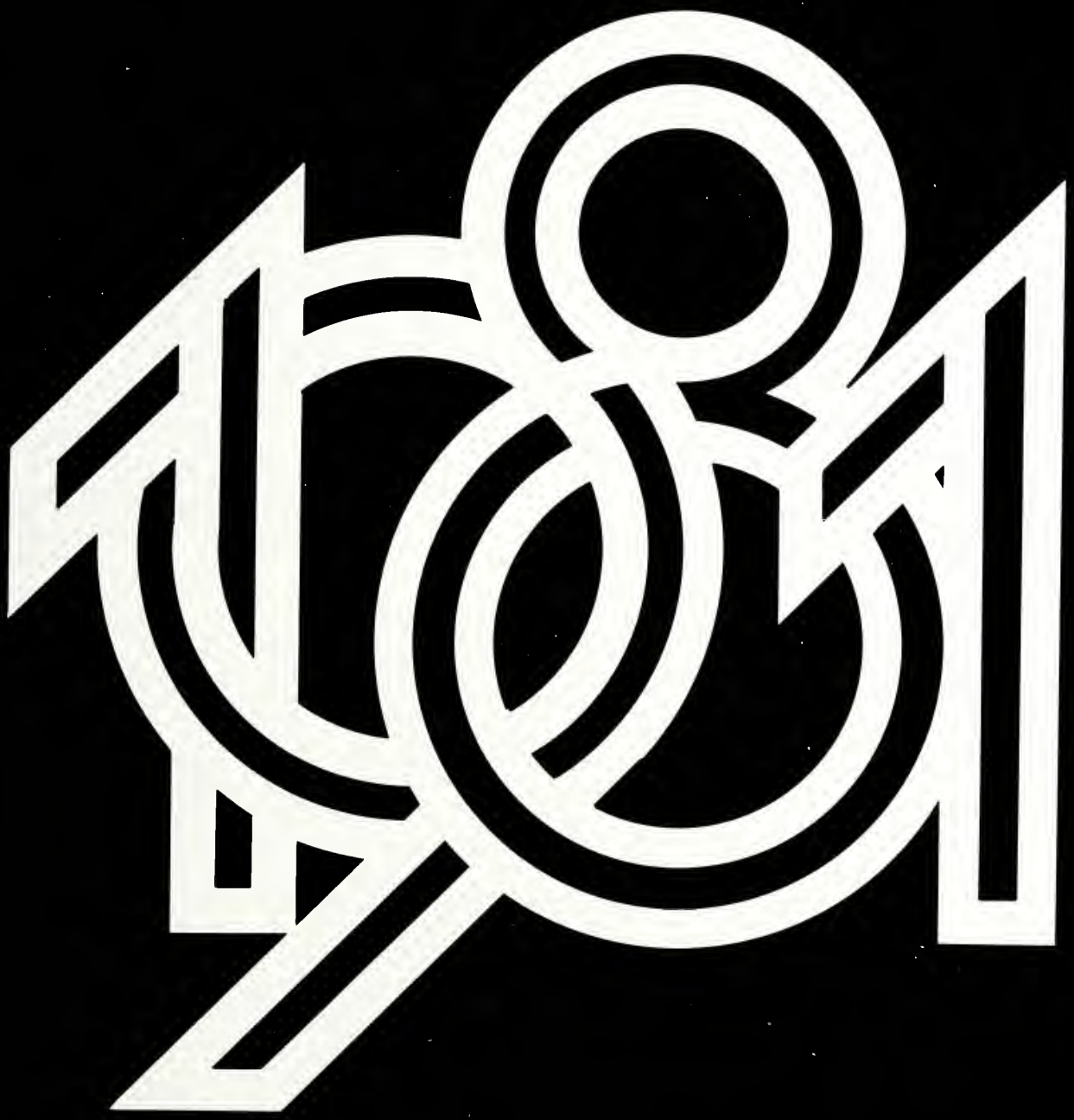
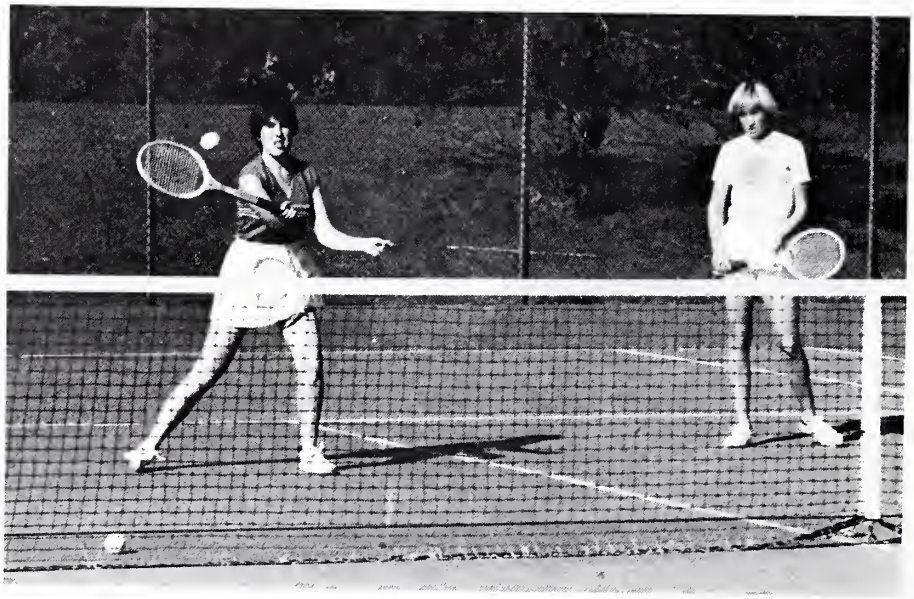
1. Penna Broman and Chuck Cavazos. 2. Mike Klein donates blood at the VSC sponsored blood drive.

Activities



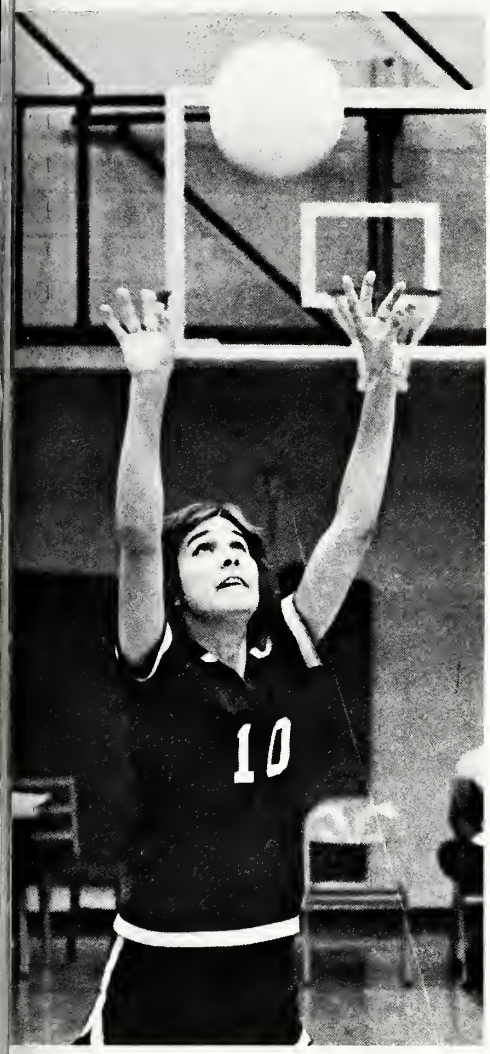
Women's Tennis

The 1980-81 women's tennis team ended their successful season with a trip to Principia College to compete in the Illinois State Tournament. The team not only played tennis well together, but shared many memorable experiences.

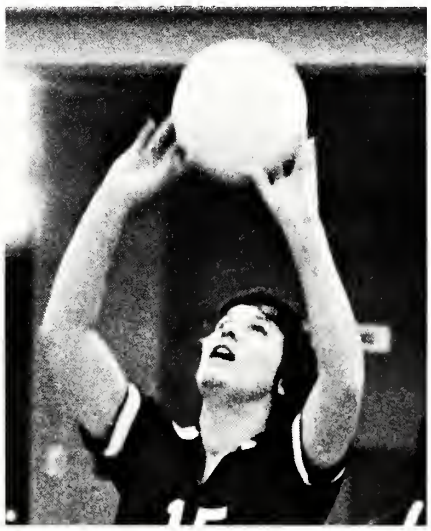


Women's tennis: Front Row: M. Radlhammer, M. Egert, L. Traft, V. Hudnall. Back Row: K. Bartholomew, S. Gittings, L. Schelble, N. Lurton, Coach Schmitt. Missing: L. Heeg.

Volleyball

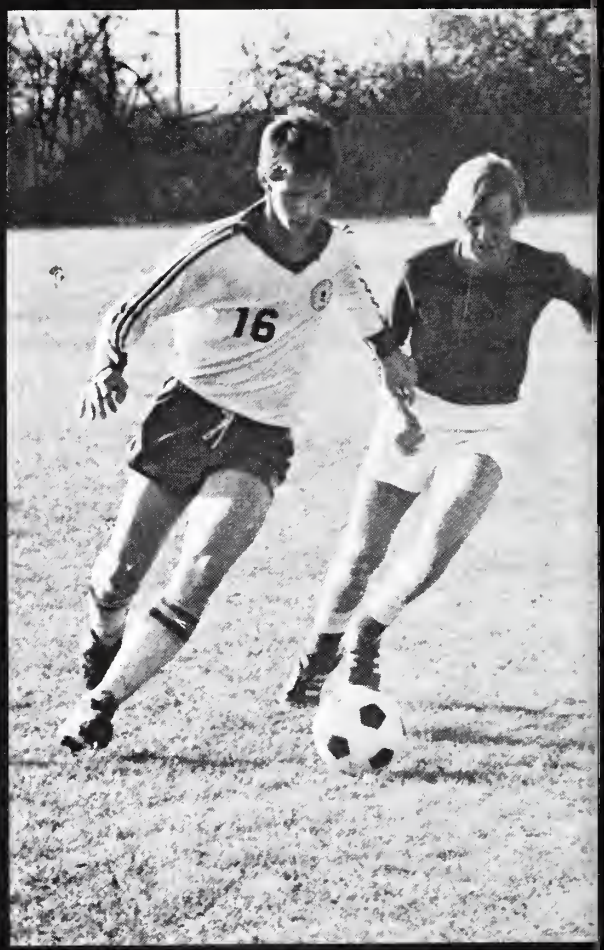


The women's volleyball team ended its season with a 9-win 9-loss 1-tie record. The Regents had a 4-2 conference record placing them in a tie for second place. At the annual Regent Invitational, the Regents went undefeated, winning the tournament. The team was coached by Pat Milkovitch. Team leadership was exercised by co-captains Joan Mosher and Amy Taylor, both of whom received all confer-honors.

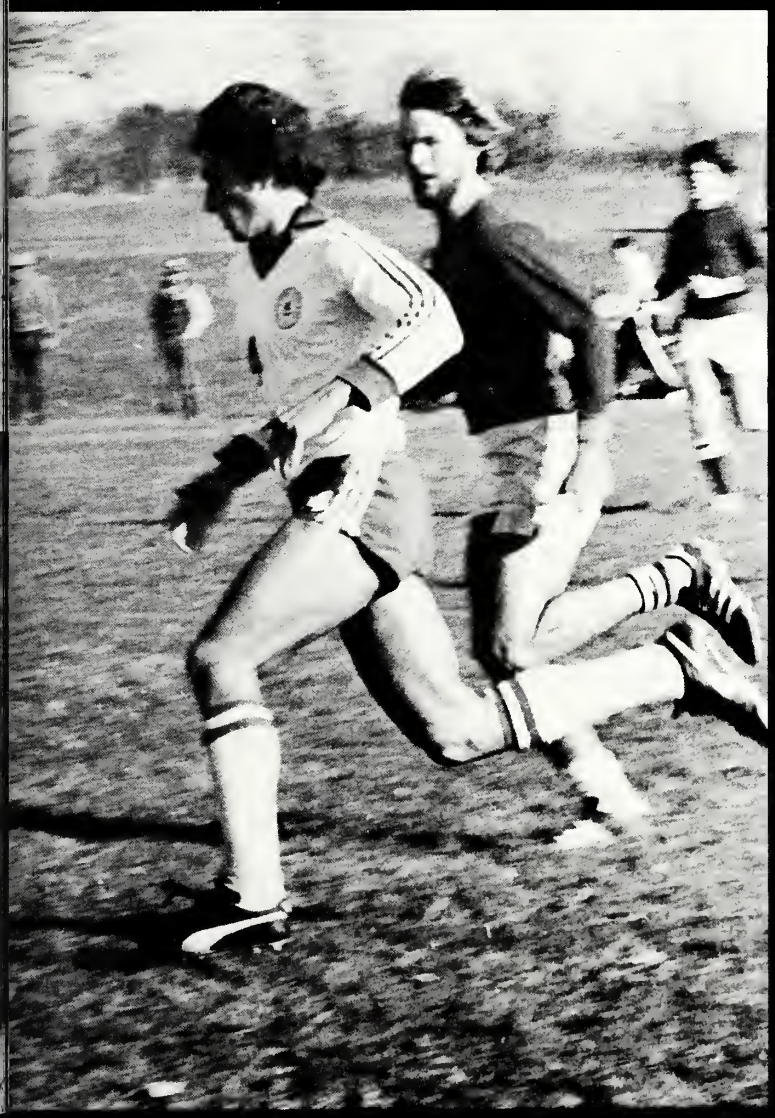


Volleyball: Front Row: R. Andrews, C. Sipes, L. Blackert, J. Mosher, T. Palmieri, A. Taylor, Coach Milkovitch. Back Row: D. Atkinson, C. Cowan, M. Dagg, L. Tomczyk, Kathy Best.

Soccer



The soccer team: Row 1: M. DeCicco, P. Gregory, L. Mangano, C. Donnellan, W. Hegel, R. Driver, F. Sharp. Row 2: T. Michaels, D. Gwinner, J. Amato, K. Woeller, W. Klein. Row 3: A. Schelich, G. Kjartansson, J. Aindman, B. DeBatty, J. Svec, J. Anderson, C. Kazanecki, Coach Banta. Missing: K. O'Brien, J. Hegel, R. Pontef, I. Smith, F. Horvat.

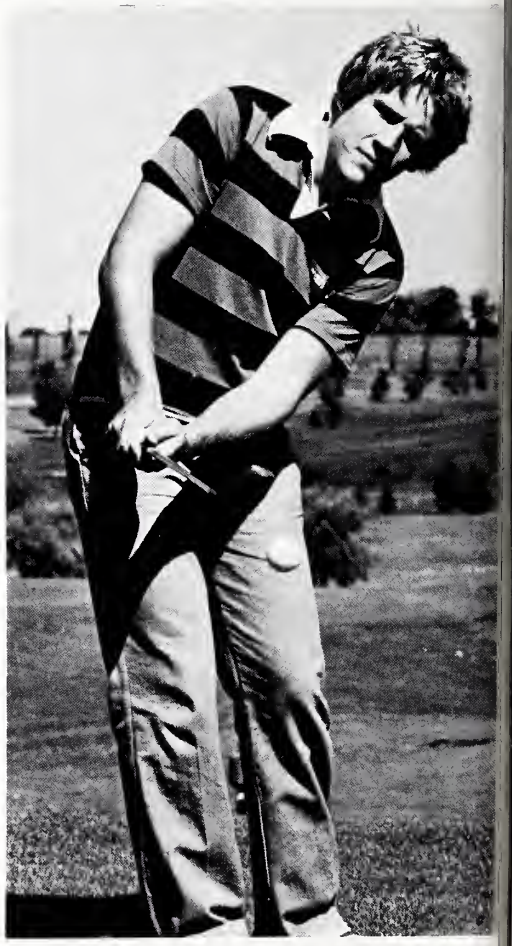


In 1981, the soccer team proved to be the best soccer team in the Northern Illinois Inter-collegiate Conference, as well as the second best team in District 20. At the end of the season, the Regents compiled the most wins by a Rockford College soccer team. With this example to follow, future Rockford College soccer teams will surely be as successful.

Golf

The 1980-81 Rockford College Golf team had a successful season, compiling an overall record of 18-7. They were led by senior Don Kuhnen and junior Mike Parrott, each averaging 78.6 strokes per 18 holes. The remainder of the team provided a strong back-up. The Regents finished fourth in the district golf tournament. The five retourning members should provide a strong nucleus for the next season.

The golf team: M. Parrott, G. Strakeljahn, A. Wirth, R. Coatney, J. Wilber, D. Kuhnen, and Coach DeWild.



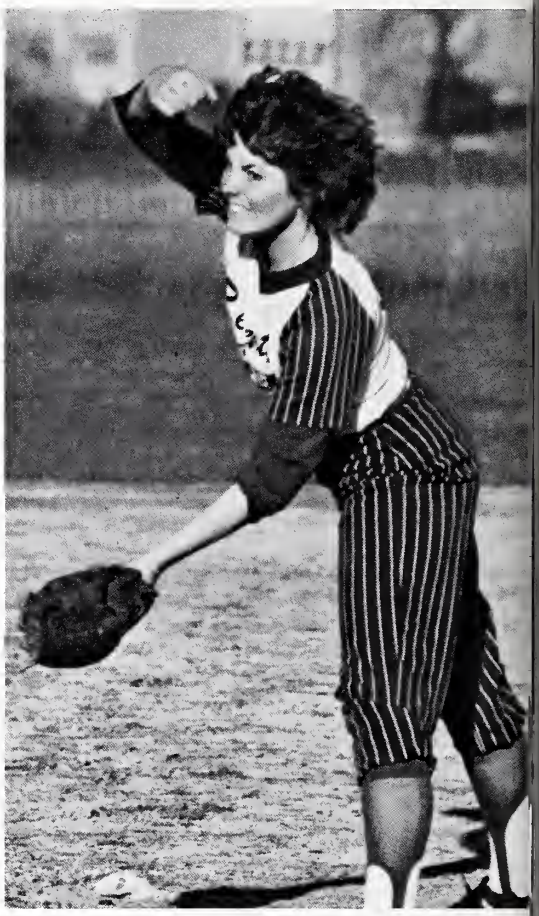
Cross Country

The cross country team: Coach Green, S. Schneider, C. Cerniglia, D. Johnson, D. Hall, and Assistant Coach Hepworth.

The 1980-81 cross country season was marred by injuries. Starting the season with only four runners, the team performed consistently paced by junior Doug Johnson. A guest appearance by junior Jim Walesa enabled the team to compete in the district meet. Johnson was able to run in the national meet in Kansas, becoming the second Rockford College runner to do so.

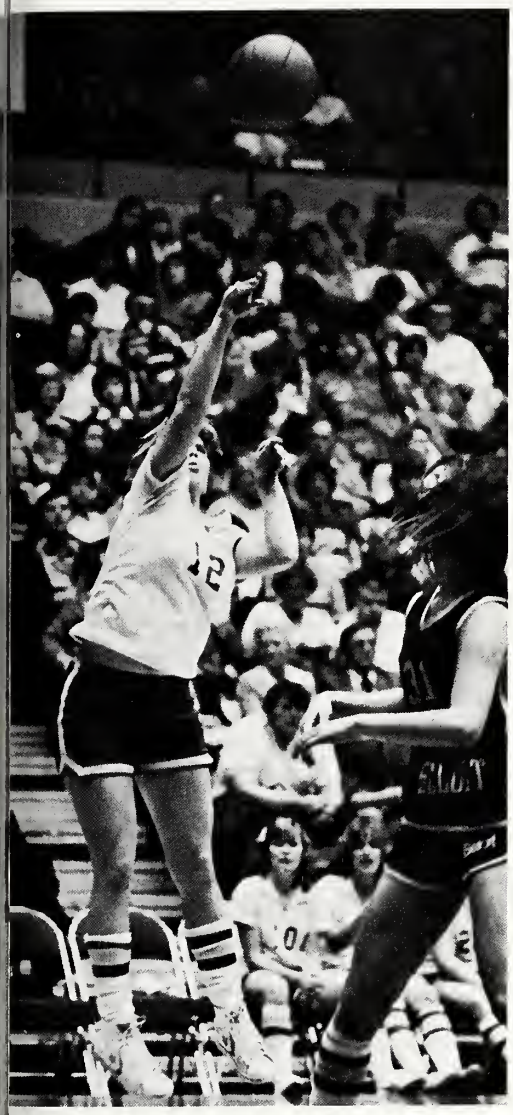
Women's Softball

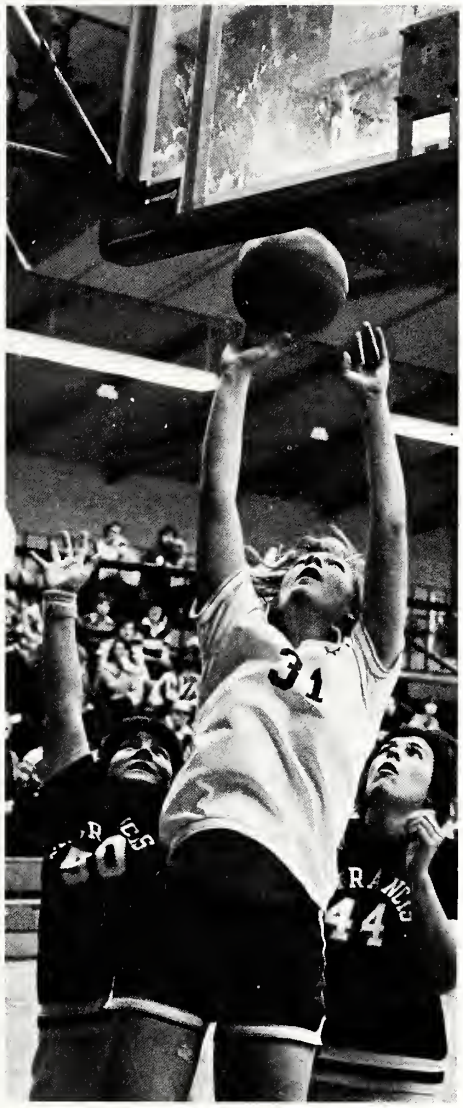
The softball team: Front Row: Donna Addison, Vicki Woolf, Deb Atkinson, Jill Sjolin, Danita Samuelson, Cindy Cissel, Tanya Tyler, Marybeth Egert. Back Row: Coach Carley, Kathi Brautigam, LeAnn Blackert, Heather Paulsen, Kathy Best, Cheryl Sipes, Jackie Crow, Linda Habel, Joan Mosher.



The first Rockford College Women's softball season turned out to be a greater than expected success. With no previous college-level experience, the Regent women, coached by Dr. Leon Carley, improved tremendously on their throwing, fielding, and hitting skills as the season progressed. They finished third in the NIIC conference with a 4-2 win-loss record. The Regents then received a bid to the NAIA tournament in Texas where they lost their first two games to very tough competition.

Women's Basketball

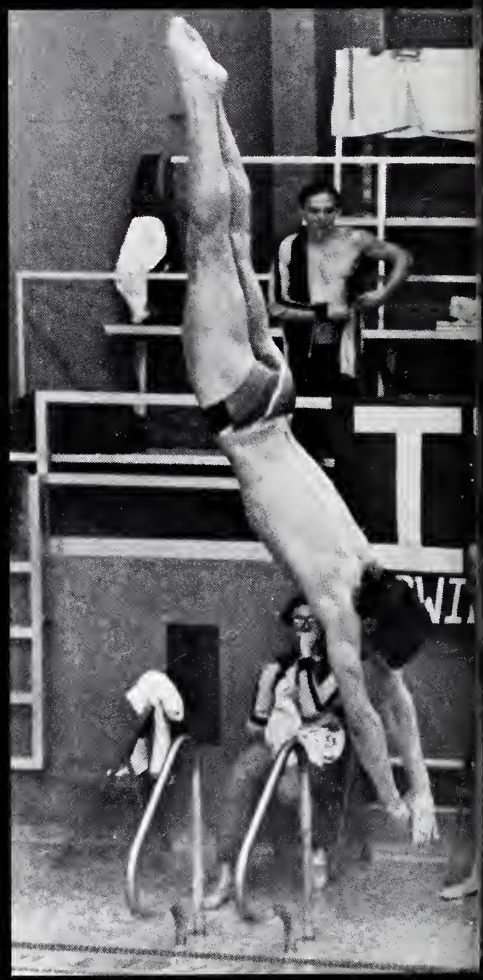




The 1980-81 women's basketball team proved to be tough competitors. Coached by Gayle Strang, the team managed to chalk up a number of victories. In February, the team battled against Beloit College in the Rockford Metro Center, where seniors Jill Sjolin and Joan Mosher were honored at halftime, as it was their last home game in their Regent careers.

Women's basketball: Front Row: Karen Stevens, LeAnn Blackert, Ellen Evans, Maribeth Egert. Back Row: Gayle Strang, coach, Joan Mosher, Leanne Frisch, Tina Palmieri, Pat Milkovitch, coach.

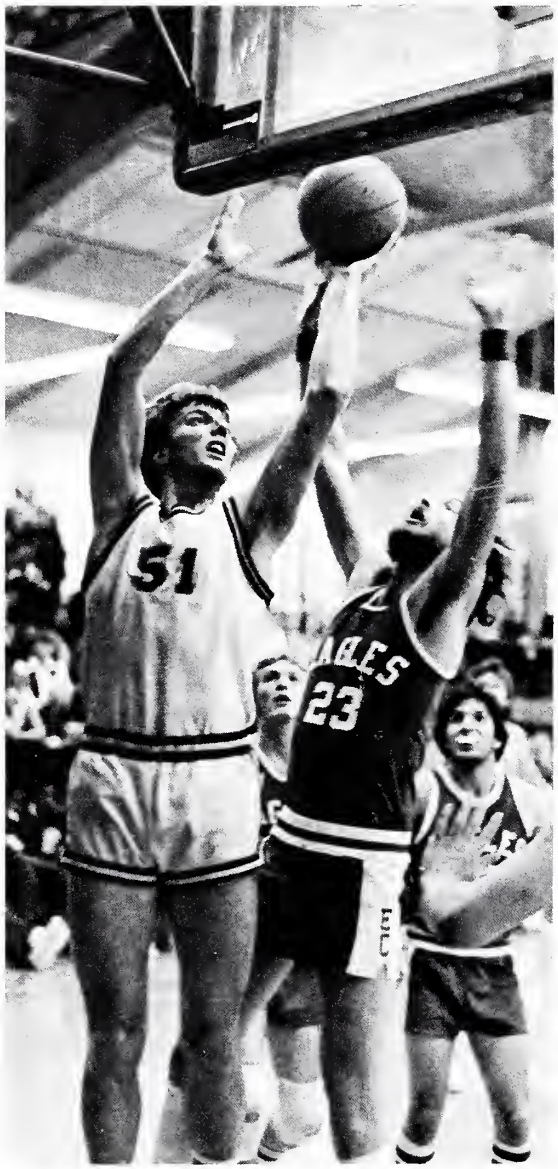
Swimming

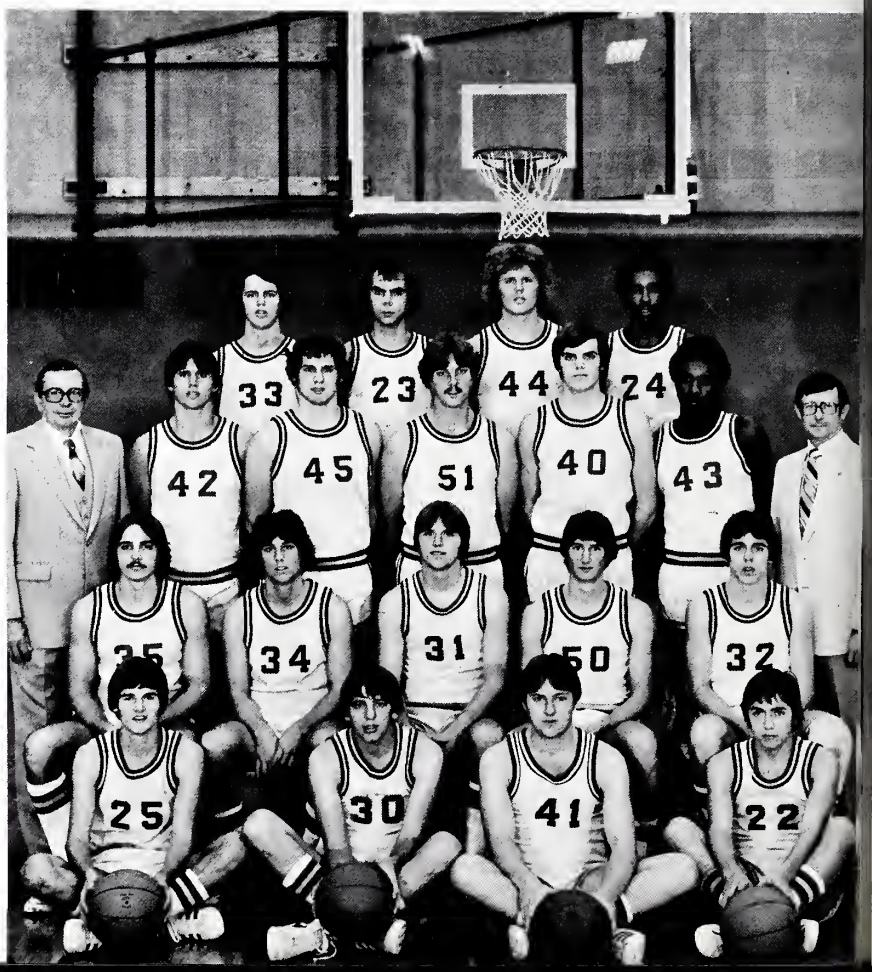


The swim team: Front Row: Dave Hibbs, Rob Bauman, Tom Root, Mike Klein, Kathe Brautigam, Mark Mithusevitch, Jim Schiltz, Coach Dick Bromley, Diving Coach Gary Geiger. Back Row: Paul Harder, Hank Brautigam, Jim Wilbur, and Karl Petersen.

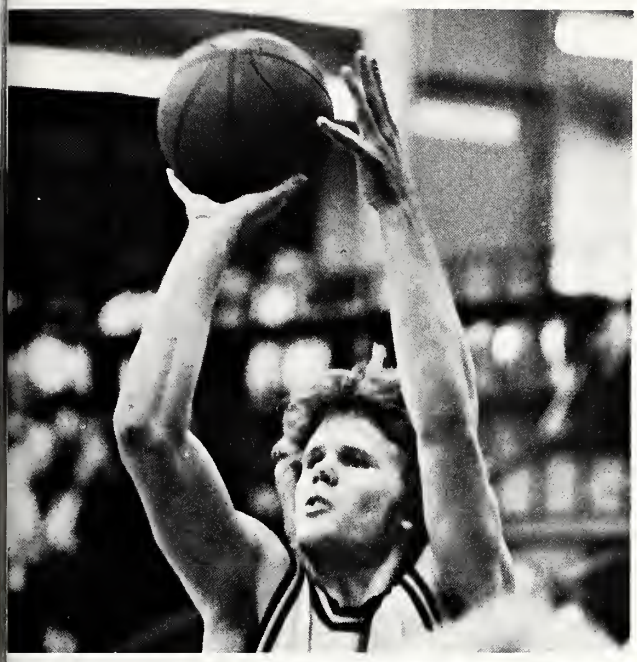
Rockford College's swim team tallied 646 dual meet points compared to their opponents' 415. The swimmers broke forty-four dual meet records, six school records and three pool records. Hank Brautigam participated in the National NAIA Swim Meet and made All-American. Overall, the team placed twenty-second out of thirty-three teams entered in the meet. The year was ended with a dual meet record of eight wins and two losses.

Men's Basketball

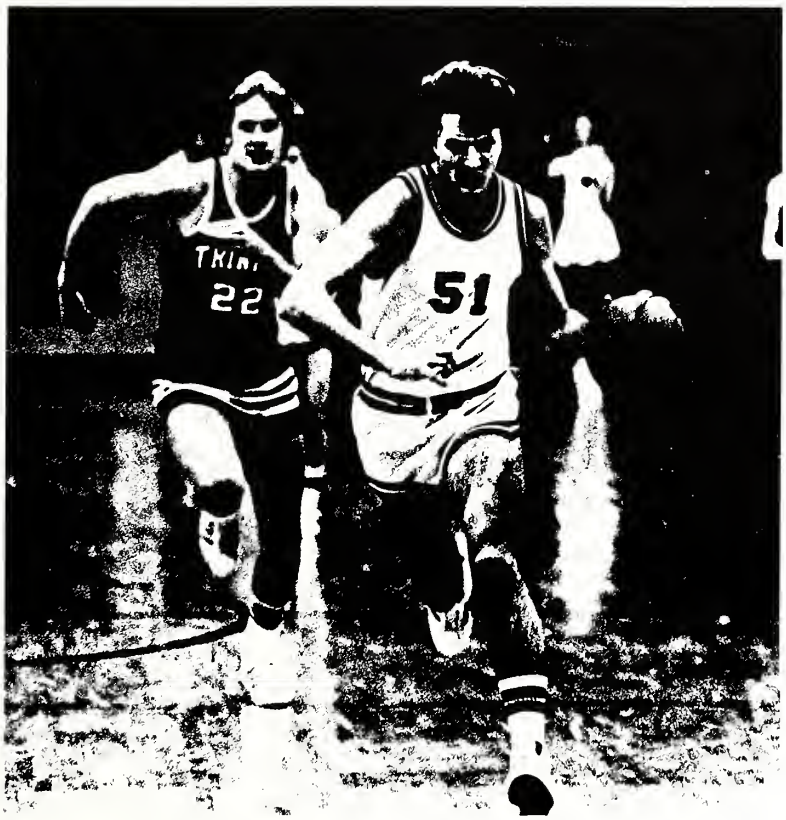




The men's basketball team: Front Row: Jim Fleming, Alan Wirth, Bruce Ludeke, David Slifer. Row 2: Coach DeWild, Brian Andrews, Bill McGrath, John Bradshaw, Tom Vincent, Brian Evans. Row 3: Rhett Coatney, Ron Alden, Rod Ekberg, Scott Bunn, Mike Lee, Asst. Coach Fowler. Back Row: Greg Barr, Jim Walesa, Steve Larson, Henry English.



The 1980-81 men's basketball team proved to be tough competition against their opponents. Mid-season the Regents were ranked fifteenth in the nation. The team had the opportunity to play in Rockford's Metro Center in February. Many excellent players returned, so the basketball season looks bright for future Regent teams.



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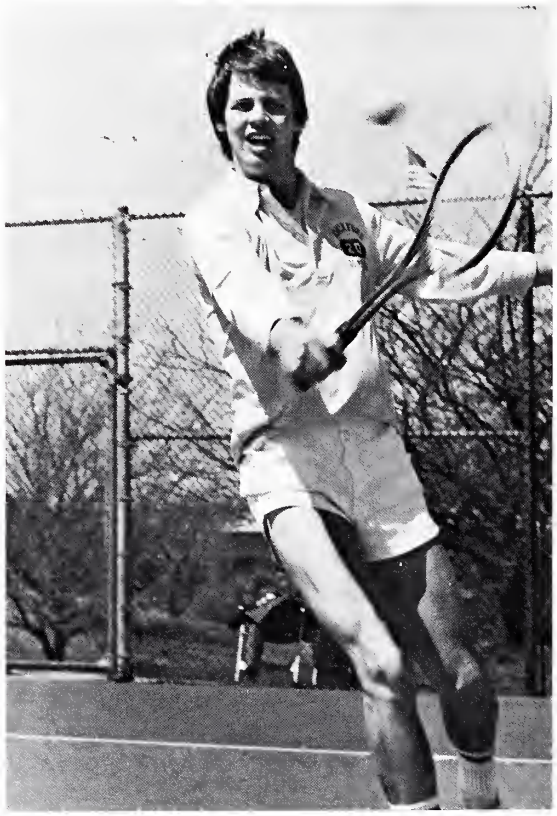
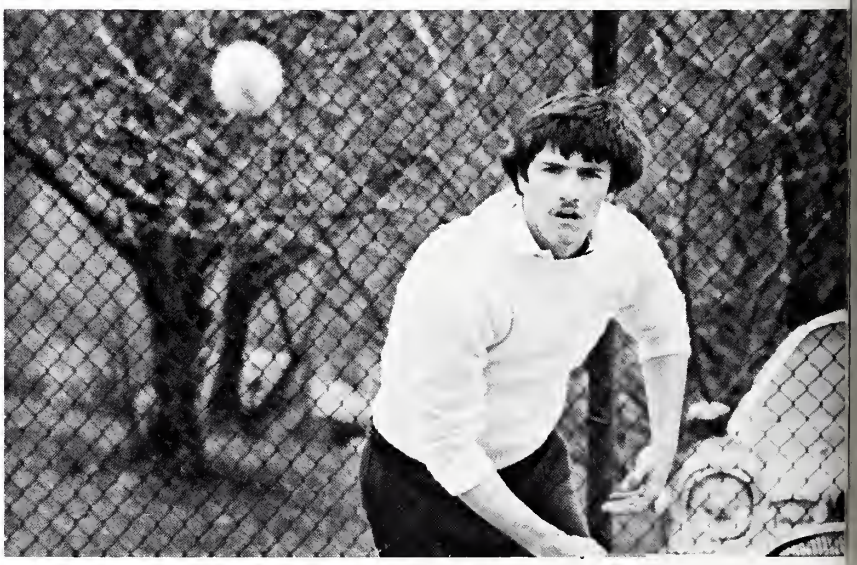
Men's Tennis



Concentration, consistency, and intensity are all factors that helped the men's tennis team achieve a successful season. First year coach Bill Maushak overcame many difficulties to lead the Regents to a second place finish in the NIIC. Tim Dlhy, the most valuable player, paced the Regents at the conference meet by capturing first place at the #6 singles position. Tim and Ken Newman combined to win the #3 doubles crown. Other individual champions were Ken Newman and Can Turkeri at the #4 and #3 positions.

Men's tennis: Front Row: Can Turkeri, Ken Haviland. Row 2: Greg Barr, Tim Dlby, Ken Newman, Larry Mangano, Coach Maushak.



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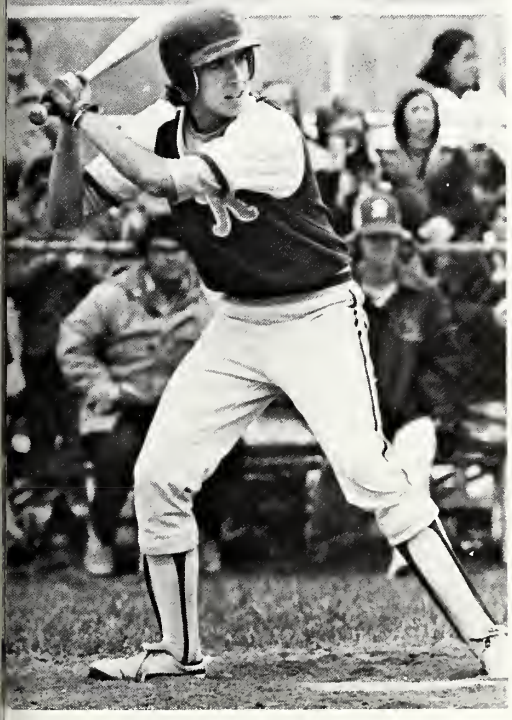


Men's baseball: Front Row: Coach William Langston, Row 2: Craig Sandeen, Mike Miller, Loren Hess, Gerry Halpin, Randy Segalla, John Reed. Row 3: Chris Kaznecki, Bill McGrath, Rod Ekberg, Brian Evans, Mark Hardie, John Kleinheubert, Kelly O'Brien, Mike Broski, and Tom Flood.

The 1981 Regent baseball team ended a very successful season with a 26-13 record, and also placed third in the district tournaments. With new coach Bill Langston's aggressive style, the Regents started their season with a successful 7-4 spring trip. Led by Captains Tom Flood and Craig Sandeen, the team earned the Name "runnin' Regents". Stealing away many games, the Regents set a school record of 92 of 103 stolen bases. The team placed third in the NIIC and because of their impressive record, received a bid to the district tournament. The 1981 Regent baseball team was the first to do so.

Show Your Spirit!

Cheerleaders: Front Row: Betsy Bettner, Marya Kovacik, and Kim Koster. Back Row: Jayne Mariani, Paulette Silvio, Nancy Metzger, Betsy Joslin, and Jackie Crow.

Regent Rowdies: Mike Stran, Scott Bunn, Dave Warden, Eric Vogel, Hank Brautigam, and Mike McNally

Women's Tennis:
10-2 overall, 4-0 and championship in NIIC Conference. MVPs: Vicki Hudnall, Lori Schelble.

Volleyball:
9-9-1 overall, 2nd Place (tied with Illinois Benedictine College) in NIIC, 1st Place Regent Invitational Tournament, All-Conference: Joan Mosher, Amy Taylor.

Soccer:
13-4-2 overall, NIIC Champions (7-1). All NIIC: Joe Svec, Ray Driver, Gundi Kjartansson, and Frank Sharp. All-District #20: Joe Svec, Ray Driver.

Golf:
3rd place finish in Chicagoland Intercollegiate Golf Conference (12 teams), 3rd place in NAIA District #20 Championships.

Women's Basketball:
7-12 record, 2nd place in Rockford Invitational, 3rd place in Conference. All Conference: Joan Mosher and Tina Palmieri. All Conference Scholastic: LeAnn Blackert.

Women's Softball:
4-2, 3rd place in Conference, District #20 Championship, Participated in NAIA National Championships, All-Conference: Joan Mosher, Kathy Best. MVP: Kathy Best.

Swimming:
Dual Meets: 8 wins, 2 losses. Championship titles: Hawk Relays, 1st: Regent Invitational, 1st: Illinois Intercollegiates, 1st; Illinois Private College Championships, 3rd; District #20 NAIA, 2nd; NAJA National Championships, 22nd. All-District #20 NAIA Team: Paul Harder, Hank Brautigam, Keith Uebele, Karl Peterson, Jim Wilbur, Tom Root, Dave Hibbs, Mike Klein. Illinois All-State Swimming Team: Paul Harder, Hank Brautigam, Keith Uebele, Tom Root, Dave Hibbs, Mike Klein. All-American NAIA Team: Hank Brautigam.

Men's Basketball:
14-12 record. All-Conference: Ron Alden and Rod Ekberg. Won Rockford Holiday Tournament for the 1st time.

Men's Tennis:
7-2, 4-2 Conference. MVP: Tim Dlhy.

Baseball:
26-13, 3rd place NAIA District #20 Tournament, All-Conference: Mike Broski, Brian Evans, Rod Ekberg.

The Feast

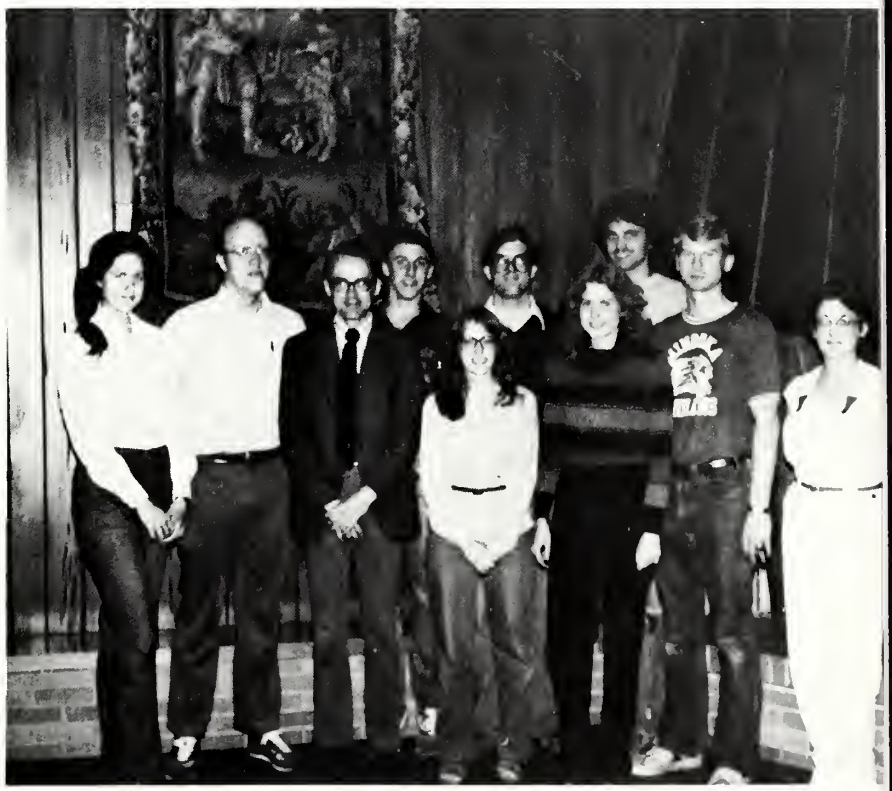
The "Feast" is a literary magazine that is published every Spring and contains short stories, prose, and poetry written by Rockford College students, covering various subjects. The magazine is usually about ten pages in length. This publication has been an annual tradition for at least five years. About two or three short stories are included with the rest of the magazine consisting of poetry of different lengths and themes. The Feast is free to all.

The Feast: Deb Bowman, Jeff Harre, Jane Thompson, Jodi Billstrom, and Sue Grebas.

Alpha-Helix

Alpha-Helix, the campus science/pre-med club, did much to strengthen faculty-student interaction by initiating a Faculty Research Lecture Series in which faculty members from the Science and Mathematics Division were invited to speak on their areas of research. In addition, other off-campus speakers were invited. The club sponsored a weekend ski trip in January. Many students and faculty participated in burning the prairie on the east side of campus in the spring, a tradition which the club started several years ago.

Alpha-Helix: Front Row: Susan Winterbauer, Dr. David Pippit, advisor; Dr. Alan Hutchcroft, advisor; Linda Determan, Kim Speers, Eric Vogel, and Pat Novak. Back Row: Mike Klein, Pete Konrad, and Dave Warden.



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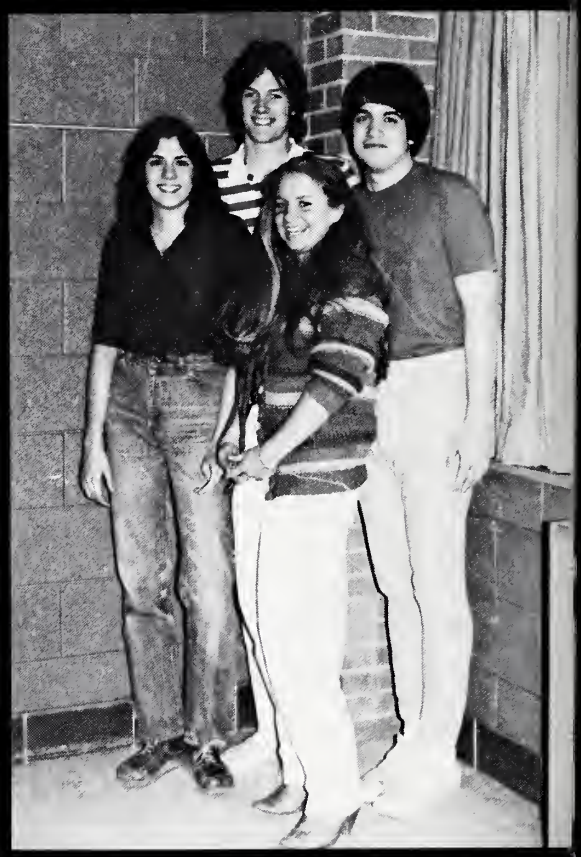

1. Seniors: Linda Troutman, Steve Schneider, Linda Determan, Sarah French, and Beth Stoddard, advisor. 2. Sophomores: Mara Coughlin, Christine Kowalke, Anthony Schelich, and Mike Morris. 3. Juniors: Greg Barr, Mike Miller, Bill Reardon, and Jim Blohm. 4. Freshmen: Laura Gentry, Lisa Craig, Katie Henry, and Craig Noreen.

Regent Tribune

The Rockford College newspaper's name was changed from "The Collegian" to "The Regent Tribune", with an attractive layout and broader coverage. Co-editors Darlo Long and Ellen Lynch took the editorship over from Leon Lagerstam second semester. Ten issues were released with Dr. Stanlis as advisor and Mr. Yehling as consultant. Mr. Yehling's journalism class, through its regular contributions, gave fresh impetus to the quality of "The Regent Tribune."

Regent Tribune: Darlo Long, editor; Sunil Puri, Vic Yehling, Nancy Rathke.

Cosmopolitan Club

The recently revitalized Cosmopolitan Club had an active year with regular meetings and several field trips. Asian and Indian movies with English subtitles were also shown monthly. Dr. Rao proved to be supportive to the club members. The officers of this predominately international student club were Saladin Khatami, (Iran) president; Gundi Kjartsson (Iceland) vice president; Kosala Wickramanyake (Sri Lanka) treasurer; and Abed Kirrish (Israel) took over for Sunil Puri (India) as secretary.

Cosmopolitan Club: Front Row: Yuri Sunaba, Kosala Wickramanyake, Yuko Sakai, and Mohammed Khawaja. Back Row: Abed Kirrish, Nadeem Queshi, Puran Hamadenian, Gundi Kjartansson, Saladin Khartami.

English Lit. Society

Poetry readings, panel discussions, the Halloween "ghost and goblins" story readings, an English Madrigal Christmas Dinner, and the annual publication of FEAST, a campus literary magazine, are all events sponsored each year by the English Literary Society. Although the primary emphasis of the group is English literature and literary-related activities, each event is open to all Rockford College students and everyone is encouraged to attend the variety of functions.

English Literary Society: Jeanne Wrage, T.J. Tyler, Steve Schneider, Michelle Modrow, and Dr. Dain Trafton, advisor.

French Club

The 1980-81 French Club officers were: Bettyann Pappenfus, president; Jeffri Harre, vice president; Mike Morris, secretary; and Gay Littlefield, treasurer. At the Club Fair, the French Club sponsored a Bastille, where one could emprison his or her friend or enemy. The club also sponsored two dinners, one on campus and another at Miss Ware's apartment, and a French breakfast. The club also went to Chicago to the annual Folk Fair.

French Club: Front Row: Dr. Wade Provo, Miss Sally Lo Ware, advisor; Kelly McCarthy, John Lussier, Kim Fanning, Jorge Hernandez, and Jane Thompson. Row 2: Marianne Pelletier, Jeff Harre, Sarah Bebko, Anne Yeager, Bettyann Pappenfus, Chris Herman, and Joe Alsup. Back Row: Mike Morris.

German Club

The German Club held various fun-filled activities that represented the German culture as well. The St. Nicholos fest highlighted the Christmas season with a German dinner prepared by club members. The club began the year by winning first place in the French Club's Tour de France.

German Club: Front Row: Ellen Evans, Marianne Minnis, Julie Bjorn, and Dave Paulsen. Back Row: Tina Palmieri, Bettyann Pappenfus, Linda Troutman, Jeff Harre, and Dr. James Schmitt, advisor.

Christian Fellowship

The officers of the Inter-Varsity Christian Fellowship included President Keith Uebele, Vice President Jackie Dixon, Secretary Quentina Ivy, and Music and Missions Director Jodi Billstrom. The group held its regular meetings on Thursday nights and various Bible Studies throughout the week. Special events included a get-together picnic at Rock Cut State Park and a skating party. Special training sessions and retreats were held throughout the year. All the events are designed to help a student grow closer to the Lord.

Inter-Varsity Christian Fellowship: Front Row: Karen Stevens, Marianne Pelletier, Renee Peron, and Jackie Robbins. Row 2: Michelle Modrow, Stephanie Veldhuis, Jayne Mariani, Kim Berry, Keith Uebele, Jodi Billstrom, Jackie Dixon, and Chris Herman. Back Row: Tom Vincent, Greg Barr, Hank Brautigam, Dr. David Foxgrover, advisor; Mike Klein, Paul Westman, and Julie Mezner.

Music and Dance

Opportunities to display musical talent are abundant at Rockford College. Anyone interested in singing or playing an instrument could find a group in which to display their talents. Singers could become a part of either the Rockford College Chorus, the Regent Singers, or both. Musicians could play in the Woodwind and String Ensemble. These groups made beautiful music under the direction of Dr. Walter Whipple and guest conductor Norman DelloJois.

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1. Dr. Walter Whipple and guest conductor Norman DelloJois. 2. Rockford College Chorus: Front Row: Dr. Whipple, Director; Kathy Lyons, Kelly McCarthy, Melinda Bergstrom, Renee Peron, Vicki Woolf, Laura Wasowicz, Yuko Sakai, Cindy Weakland, and Jane Thompson. Row 2: Ivy Garfield, Beth Ruppert, Vanessa Yates, Keith Uebele, Dave Paulsen, Paul Westman, Harold Neal, Jim Martine, Jim Brechlin, Jack Hindman, Jeff Harre, Warren Boykin, and Stephanie Veldhuis. 3. Woodwind and String Ensemble: Anne Hubbard, Jodi Billstrom, Cindy Davis, Christine Kowalke, Yuko Sakai, and Mrs. Elinor Stanlis, director. 4. Regent Singers: Front Row: Accompianist, Renee Peron, Melinda Bergstrom, Vanessa Yates, Vicki Woolf, Anne McCauley, Yuko Sakai, Jane Thompson, and Mr. Dean Durst, temporary director. Row 2: Keith Uebele, Dave Paulsen, Paul Westman, Harold Neal, Jim Martine, Jim Brechlin, Mike McNally, Jeff Harre, and Warren Boykin. 5. Orchesis: Pat Tinsley, Penna Broman, Hogga Gunnarsdottier, Elin Johnson, Lisa Schramm, Brenda Huber, Paulette Silvio, Ann Stowe, and Cassandra Washington.

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Orchesis, the honorary dance group of Rockford College, had a great year under the direction of Miss Jayne Poor. It produced two studio shows and a major spring concert held in Maddox Theatre. A majority of the dances are choreographed by members of the group. Dancers attend a technique class to help them improve their dancing abilities.

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Student Government

Under the leadership of President Christine Carlson, the Student Government lead a productive and exciting year. The goals included improved student welfare, communication, administration, and educational affairs. The Student Government explored such areas of student interest as extended visitation, improved living conditions, coeducational housing, library carrel reservations, better registration procedures, and greater interaction among faculty, students, and administrators in an effort to fulfill these goals.

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1. Executive Board: Front Row: Betsy Joslin, John Amato, Bill DeBatty, and Karen Kabellis. Back Row: Pat Novak, Deb Bogan, Jon Roakes, Beth Stoddard, advisor, Christine Carlson, and Linda Troutman. 2. Senate: Front Row: Betsy Joslin, Deb Bogan, Beth Stoddard, advisor, Adrianne Sloat, Christine Carlson, and Pat Novak. Row 2: Karen Kabellis, unidentified, Sunil Puri, Ellen Evans, Linda Gulan, Gay Littlefield, Mike McNally, and Dave Paulsen. Back Row: Joe Alsup, Mike Lindberg, Pete Konrad, Ed Conboy, John Amato, Jon Roakes, and Bill DeBatty. 3. Social Board: Front Chair: Mike Morris. Back Row: John Anderson, Joe Svec, Frank Horvat, Jim Walesa, Karl Peterson, Dann Grindemann, advisor; Terry Kay, Doug Jones, Val Jackson, Jon Roakes, Gyl Faeth, and Mark Hatfield.

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Spanish Club

Officers Christy Ireson, Chris Erickson, Linda Harper, and Greg Nielson led the Spanish Club through a very active year. Included were native prepared Columbian, Argentine, and Mexican dinners; a Spanish theatre production in Madison, and a trip to Chicago's International Folk Festival, as well as several fund-raising events.

Spanish Club: Front Row: Dr. Marjorie Slavens, advisor; Eli Melendez, Chris Erickson, Kim Fanning, and Dr. James Gunn, advisor. Back Row: Mike Morris, John Lussier, Christi Ireson, Jorge Hernandez, Greg Nielson, and Theresa Ross.

Suo Marte

Suo Marte, the non-traditional students' organization, sponsored a number of events. Seminar-workshops concerning self-evaluation and career planning were held. The group hosted a wine and cheese tasting party in the fall as well as a dinner theatre party for "Dames At Sea." Suo Marte has succeeded in making non-traditional students an important part of the campus.

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1. Linda DeCampa, president of Suo Marte. 2. The first annual Suo Marte-Faculty wine and cheese tasting party in Grace Roper Lounge.

Volunteer Services

Under the direction of Chairman Linda Troutman and Secretary/Treasurer Julie Mezner, the Rockford College Volunteer Service Corps had a busy and successful year. The V.S.C. received the Governor's Award. They sponsored a rec day and a blood drive each semester. The Adopt-a-Kid volunteers wrote to area fourth graders, while the Adopt-a-Grandparent volunteers visited elderly people every month. Some students wrote to prisoners. V.S.C. also coordinated five Flower Days during the year, proceeds from which went to the American Cancer Society.

V.S.C.: Front Row: Mark Beakey, Linda Troutman, Mrs. Dorothy Delman, advisor; and Julie Mezner. Back Row: Michelle Modrow, Janet Neisewander, Kim Koster, Lisa MacCrindle, Laura Lansing, and Kelly Bartholomew.

On The Radio—WRCR

The officials of WRCR were: T.J. Tyler, General Manager, Keith Uebele, Bettyann Pappenfus, Michael Morris, Linda Davison, and Bill Moreland. In November, five members of the Executive Board spent a weekend in Chicago at the Loyola National Radio Conference, a gathering of college radio personnel sponsored by Loyola University. The award given annually by WRCR to its most dedicated Executive Board member was given to Bettyann Pappenfus at the Honors Day Convocation.

WRCR: Front Row: Linda Davison, Laura Wasowicz, Anne Yeager, T.J. Tyler, Donna Addison, Bettyann Pappenfus, Jeff Petro, and Paul Watson. Back Row: Dave Paulsen, Mark Beakey, Mike Morris, unidentified, Keith Doering, and Doug Jones.

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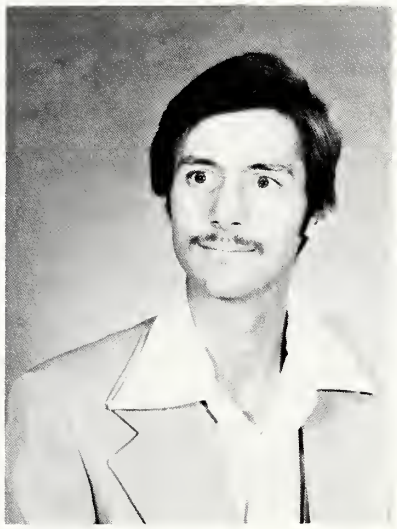

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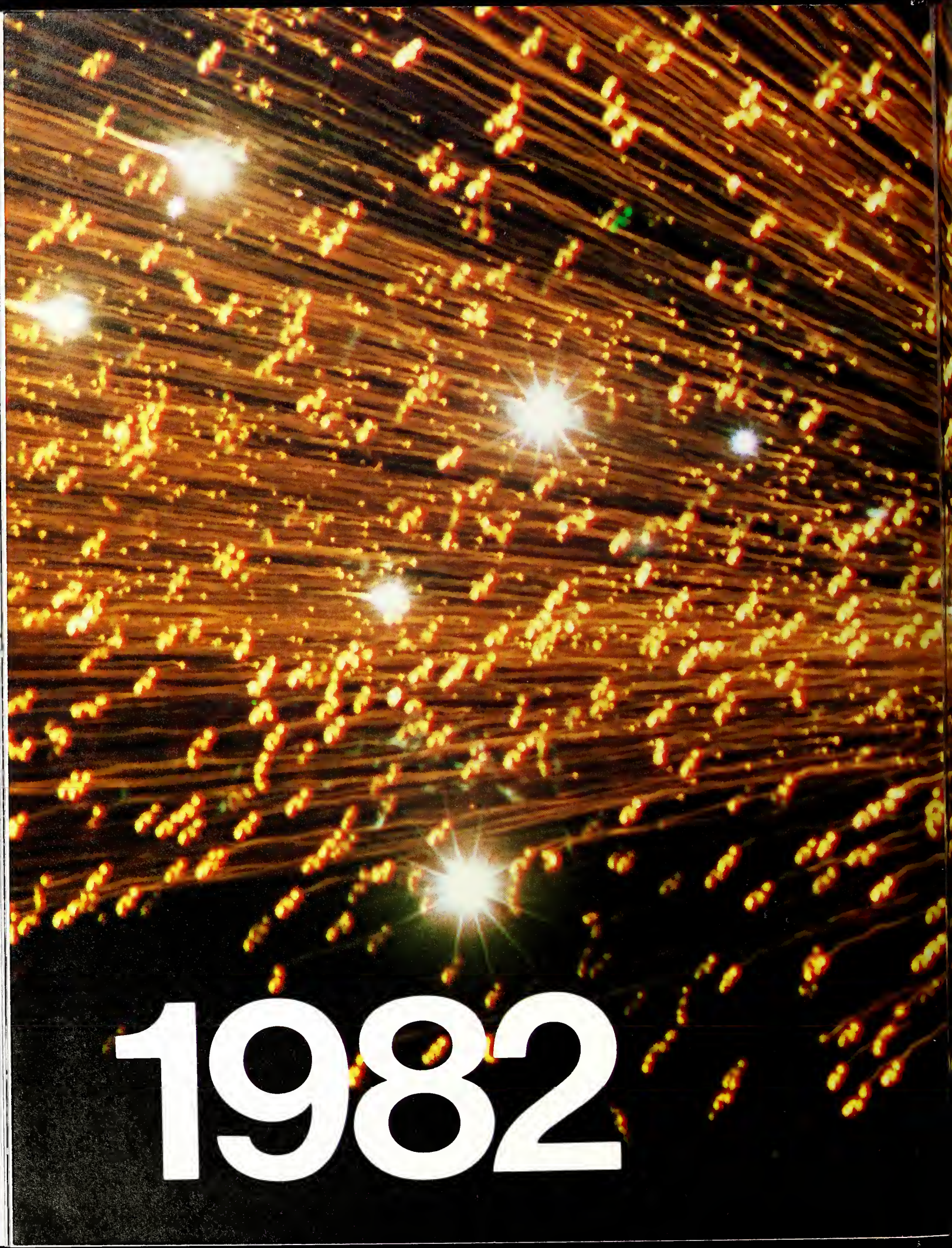
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